

# SENATE PLAN ASSURES ACTION ON WAR BILL; CONGRESS TO FURNISH WILSON SINEWS OF BATTLE

## La Follette Halts Senate Action On War Measure; Both Houses Adjourn Until Wednesday Morning

Washington, D. C., April 3.—At the meeting of the senate steering committee it was decided to hold a continuous session of the senate from ten o'clock tomorrow, until the "war bill" is acted upon. It is the purpose of the committee to prevent any filibustering or delay to the war resolution such as caused today by Senator La Follette.

Washington, D. C., April 3.—Pacifism, in the person of Senator La Follette, one of the "wilful twelve" today effectually blocked action on the "war resolution" in congress until 10 o'clock tomorrow.

Through a parliamentary maneuver—demanding the regular order—he halted senate action on the resolution. Heated words followed.

Martin declared the resolution must go through before anything else and in view of La Follette's demand for the regular order of business, caused an adjournment until tomorrow.

The house committee, expecting passage of the senate amended war resolution, today had postponed action until tomorrow, expecting to ratify the senate action.

The house adjourned today after having passed without objection and without change, the \$62,500,000 general deficiency bill which failed in the senate last session. The bill makes important appropriation for the army and navy.

The war congress however, will soon do President Wilson's bidding and give him whatever he wishes for fighting Germany. Congress leaders announced this today. The senate foreign affairs committee action in quickly reporting out a "war resolution" was taken as evidence of their spirit. That measure turned over to Wilson the fullest military power of the United States and pledged all the other resources of the nation.

Republican house members, especially Minority Leader Mann, talked of balking on having a "pay as you go" war—a war paid for chiefly by this generation. But the Democratic majority, said that idea, voiced by Wilson, would be heeded. Bonds will have to be provided for present expenses, it was thought.

A heavy tax on excess profits and big incomes will be the means of raising the bulk of the war revenue, it was indicated. Just as England takes sixty per cent of the war profits and Germany 25 per cent, so will America lay heavy burden.

President Wilson's suggestion for extending credit to the allies will be heeded by congress. In fact, one of the foremost leaders stated today:

"The president can have what he wants. We will pass the credit for the allies and we will see to it that there is sufficient money to make this war a success."

"As for raising an army on the principle of 'universal liability to service' the congress undoubtedly will put it into effect."

The session of the senate today

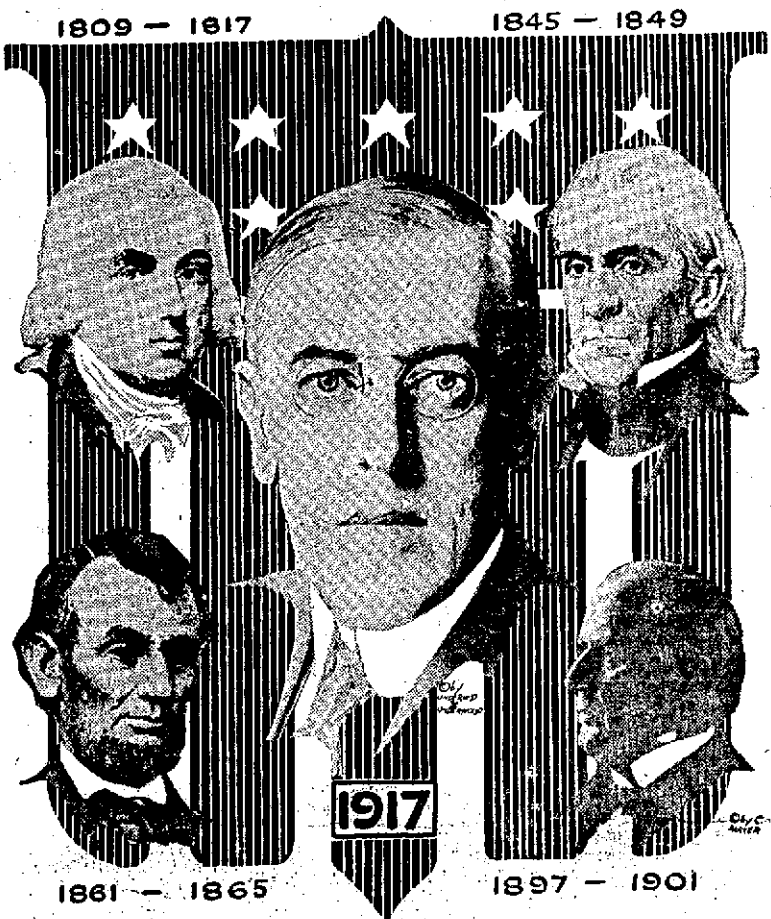
## The Young Lady Across The Way



"Poor old Count Zeppelin was sneered at and ridiculed most of his life," observed the young lady across the way, ruminatively, "but I'd like to know where Germany'd be now if he hadn't invented the submarine," and she sighed philosophically over the world's capacity for misjudgment.

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## WOODROW WILSON IS FIFTH OF AMERICA'S "WAR PRESIDENTS"



War with Germany makes Woodrow Wilson the fifth of America's "war presidents." Washington is not included in the list because he did not become president until several years after the Revolution was over. The War of 1812 with Great Britain began June 18, 1812, and ended February 17, 1815. The Mexican war began April 24, 1846, and ended July 4, 1848. The Civil war included the years 1861-1865. The Spanish-American war began April 21, 1898, and ended on December 10 of the same year.

## COMPULSORY MILITARY TRAINING BILL INTRODUCED IN THE SENATE

Washington, D. C., April 3.—A universal compulsory military training bill providing for immediate raising of an army of 500,000 men was introduced by Senator Chamberlain, chairman of the military affairs committee, today.

Under the provision of the bill the president would be empowered to call out all physically fit men of the age of 20 at once. As the necessity arises men of 21, 22 and 23 would be called.

Three to five million men will probably be raised for America's armies. At least one cabinet member wants three million as a minimum; army men recommend up to five million.

The process will be to get them in groups of 500,000 as rapidly as they can be officered.

Chamberlain says the group can be obtained at an annual expense of \$156,000,000 each; the general staff, however, estimated a far higher amount.

The navy may be raised to 180,000 men.

## AROUND WASHINGTON

Washington, D. C., April 3.—War Secretary Baker and the advisory commission of the Council of National Defense are today discussing: War plans, on a basis of three years of conflict; suggestions for food control for the nation; universal service—not merely universal military service. These three vital projects were carried into the defense council's session today by Samuel Gompers, head of the committee of labor.

Washington, D. C., April 3.—Senator Culberson, Texas, chairman of the judiciary committee, today introduced the administration's general spy bill.

Washington, D. C., April 3.—Representative La Guardia, of New York, today introduced a resolution to punish, by imprisonment in time of peace and by death during a war, any one selling inferior food, clothing, ammunition or arms to the army or navy. The bill was referred to the judiciary committee.

## Approves "Dry" Amendment To Be Put Up To Ohio Voters

Columbus, O., April 3.—Attorney McGhee today approved legal wording of the proposed "dry" amendment to be put up to Ohio voters this fall.

The amendment, not quite "bone dry," reads:

"The sale and manufacture for sale, of intoxicating liquor as a beverage are hereby prohibited. The general assembly shall enact laws to make this provision effective. Nothing herein contained shall prohibit the manufacture or sale of such liquor for medicinal, industrial, scientific, sacramental or other non-beverage purposes."

## Decision Opens Way To Full City Suffrage

Columbus, O., April 3.—Ohio supreme court today upheld the rights of cities with home rule charters to grant full suffrage to women in municipal affairs.

The court's decision was hailed today by suffragettes throughout Ohio as a big victory—opening the way to full city suffrage through adoption of home rule charters.

Neither the opinion or syllabus in the case, stating full reasons of the supreme court for its decision, have been written, according to the official supreme court reporter.

German Sailors and Militiamen Clash

Baltimore, Md., April 3.—German sailors from the steamer Symra were in a clash with men of the Fourth Regiment early today after two of their number were challenged by one of the guardsmen. The Germans immediately attacked the militiamen. The guardsman shouted for help. The sailors also called to their comrades. Twelve sailors answered and other soldiers hastened to the pier. No shots were fired, the guardsmen finally subduing the sailors. The Germans were arrested.

MICH. GOVERNOR ACTIVE  
Lansing, Mich., April 3.—Governor Sleeper, in a special message to the legislature tonight, will ask an appropriation of \$5,000,000 to equip Michigan soldiers and defend the state and to make provision for the care of the families of soldiers. Bills to this end will be introduced tonight.

## TO SPEND 18 MILLION ON NAVY YARDS

Washington, D. C., April 3.—The navy department will immediately spend the \$18,000,000 emergency appropriation for increased navy yard facilities as follows:

At Portsmouth, New Hampshire, facilities for the immediate construction of ten submarines.

New York, one ship for the construction of a capital battleship and additional machine shops \$3,000,000.

Philadelphia, two slips and shops about \$6,000,000.

Norfolk, one slip and shops, about \$5,000,000.

Puget Sound and Mare Island ship ways (number and amount not stated).

Nothing was given out as a station on the Great Lakes.

Six ways for the construction of submarines, it is planned, will be built at the Portsmouth yards. This will admit the simultaneous construction of ten submarines. Approximately a million dollars will be the initial expenditure, it was estimated.

## Women "Night Riders" Blamed For Fire

Pittsburgh, Pa., April 3.—Owners of the famous roadhouse known as the "Mules Ear" admitted today that they understood the place was burned down by a score of women "night riders" who attacked it with torches early Sunday morning while revelry was at its height. More than a score of members of Pittsburgh's exclusive clubs and an equal number of women barely escaped with their lives.

## "CENTRAL POWERS ARE PLANNING A NEW PEACE OFFER"

Amsterdam, April 3.—Germany is contemplating formal protest to neutral nations, against America's action in declaring war, Berlin advices this afternoon asserted. By such an appeal, it was said Germany hopes particularly to influence South American nations in her favor.

Amsterdam, April 3.—The Central Powers are planning a new peace offer, the Berlin Lokal Anzeiger stated this afternoon.

There have been frequent and persistent rumors lately that the Teutonic powers were preparing to make another bid for peace. The nearest official of these reports came from Count Czernin, foreign minister of Austria-Hungary, who recently declared the Central Powers desire for peace was still open to acceptance. Continental newspapers have continued to lay stress on the minister's statements as indicating likelihood of the Central Powers making further concessions in their peace talk.

Vienna newspapers regarded Czernin's speech as a "plain proffer of peace."

The Lokal Anzeiger story today comes at the same time that an important conference is being held at the German headquarters. Ostensibly the meeting is to make the German empress acquainted with the new empress of Austria-Hungary, but an unusually noteworthy assembly of German and Austrian officials are to be present—including the German and Austrian emperors, Chancellor Bethmann-Hollweg, Foreign Minister Czernin and others.

## STAND BEHIND WILSON

St. Paul, Minn., April 3.—A resolution urging that every Minnesota representative and senator in congress vote to back President Wilson was adopted unanimously in the Minnesota senate today. The senate went on record as approving President Wilson's address to congress last night and pledged itself to take necessary action to lay the resources of the state at the disposal of the nation.

## What Wilson Recommends

Utmost practical co-operation in counsel and action with the governments already at war with Germany.

Extension of liberal financial credits to those governments so that the resources of America may be added so far as possible to theirs.

Organization and mobilization of all the material resources of the country.

Full equipment of the navy, particularly for means of dealing with submarine warfare.

An army of at least 500,000 men, based on the principle of universal liability to service and the authorization of additional increments of 500,000 each as they are needed or can be handled in training.

Raising necessary money for the United States government, so far as possible without borrowing and on the basis of equitable taxation.

All preparations, the president urged, should be made in such manner as not to check the flow of war supplies to the nations in the field against Germany.

## MAY SUPPLY TAGS

Columbus, O., April 3.—The Scioto Sign Company, Kenton, in which W. W. Durbin and W. L. Finley, Democratic state leaders, are stockholders, probably will supply the rest of Ohio's 1917 auto tags. The Kenton firm was just one-half a cent lower per pair on its bid than the next lowest bidder—at 18½ cents.

## Strengthen "State-Of-War" Resolution

Washington, D. C., April 3.—The senate foreign relations committee today reported out the administration state of war resolution amended so as to strengthen its entire text, with but one dissenting vote—that of Chairman Stone.

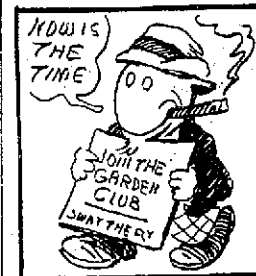
The president is directed to employ the "entire naval and military forces of the United States" against Germany and to "bring the conflict to a successful termination."

"All of the resources of the country," the resolution ends, "are hereby pledged by the congress of the United States."

The resolution as amended reads:

"Whereas, the Imperial German government has committed repeated acts of war against the government and the people of the United States of America, therefore be it,

"Resolved, by the senate and house of representative of the United States of America in congress assembled, that the state of war between the United States and the Imperial German government which has thus been thrust upon the United States is hereby formally declared; and that the president, be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to employ the entire naval and military forces of the United States and the reserves of the army to carry on the war against the Imperial German government; and, to bring the conflict to a successful termination, all the resources of the country are hereby pledged by the congress of the United States."



Everybody who wants to join their back yard garden club send their names into this office. It don't cost anything to join and it's only requirement besides being a bona-fide back yard gardener is that all members display the official badge of the club which is a small cake of mud to be worn on either heel. Don't delay. Join now. Here's for tomorrow:

Ohio—Fair and somewhat warmer tonight. Wednesday unsettled and warmer, probably rain.

Kentucky—Increasing cloudiness, probably followed by showers late tonight or Wednesday. Rising temperature tonight and in eastern portions Wednesday.

West Virginia—Fair tonight. Wednesday increasing cloudiness and warmer, probably followed by rain.

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TONIGHT  
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Hayakawa

In a powerful racial  
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"Each To  
His Kind"

5 acts



SESSUE HAYAKAWA  
"EACH TO HIS KIND"  
— LASKY-PARAMOUNT

TOMORROW  
Wm. A. Brady presents

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BRADY

In a charming love story

"The Hungry  
Heart"

5 acts



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"DAVISON'S TRIO" AFTERNOON AND EVENING

## NEW BOSTON

Marshall W. I. Davis, who was taken suddenly ill with appendicitis last week and who underwent an operation at Hempstead hospital Saturday evening, was reported resting easy Tuesday. Marshall Davis was in a grave condition for a short time. The sudden attack of appendicitis is thought to have been brought on by a kick received from a prisoner several weeks ago, the man kicking the officer on the right side while he was bringing him to jail.

On account of only W. T. Harr, J. C. Harris and James Hurley showing up, council did not meet Monday night. A meeting is to be held to night at 7:30, sharp.

Contractor J. C. Harris is building brick foundations on Stanton avenue for a number of houses to be moved from the south side of Grace street to Stanton avenue. The work is being done for Mayor J. S. Davis.

Members Charles Fiddler, Dr. W. C. Cheney and John Caudley of the school board, W. A. DeVoss, of DeVoss and Donaldson's architects' office, and Contractor O. E. Nourse visited the offices of the Kentucky Fire Brick Company and Reitz Bros. in the city Monday to select brick for the high school to be built in Glenwood addition this year. The members favor a red, rough texture brick made by the former firm. The brick is lighter than that used in the construction of the steel plant office building. The brick will likely be chosen at a called meeting of the school board to be held this week.

John Caudley is the new member of the board of education, he taking the place of John Noel, who moved to Portsmouth.

Frank White is filling the place of Ira Fenner, fire chief, who is on the jury in Portsmouth.

Mike Manning, found on Millbrook lake bank early Sunday morning with cuts and bruises on his body, was turned loose Monday with orders to get out of town.

Contractor and Councilman J. C. Harris, of Rhodes avenue, had visions of a stranger making away with his automobile Monday when he arrived home at supper and found the machine missing. The machine was returned in the evening by extra fire chief Frank White, who had used the machine with Officer Len Rice to go to the Rinehart-Dennis C. & O. N. construction camp near Harrisonville to arrest a negro.

The post office has moved from Coburn's pharmacy, Gallia and Center streets, to the Bert Bowen hardware store, Gallia and Park avenue. Mr. Coburn had the post-office business about two years. The post-office business got too heavy and Coburn decided to give it up. Miss Margaret Emmert, who worked in the post-office at Coburn's drug store, will work just the same at Mr. Bowen's place of business.

Choir practice at the Baptist church Thursday evening, for the Easter program. All persons taking part should be present.

John Hurley, of Columbus, and Mrs. Charles Houdashell, of Portsmouth, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Hurley, of Rhodes avenue, Tuesday.

Mayor J. S. Davis, who owns the Popular moving picture theatre in New Boston, and who is having a theatre built in Seabrook, bought the Thalia theatre in New Boston Monday afternoon.

L. C. Turley purchased the theatre from Rudolph Kowitz, owner of the theatre and he sold it to Mayor J. S. Davis. The theatre was built about four years ago at a cost of \$10,500. The price paid by Mayor Davis was over \$7,500.

The Owls at their meeting Wednesday night will initiate two candidates. The by-laws committee will also report.

## Want All Local Masons At Aurora Inspection

Efforts are being made to have every Mason in Portsmouth attend the annual inspection of Aurora Lodge No. 48, F. & A. M., which will be held Thursday evening. Visitors from the rural districts and from distant cities are expected to be present.

Hon. Joel C. Clure, postmaster of Cincinnati, and grand master of the Grand Lodge of Ohio, will be the guest of honor. Hon. Hugh Lynch, Chillicothe, will be the inspecting officer.

Members and visitors will meet at the Masonic Temple promptly at 6:30 o'clock Thursday evening and after the lodge has opened, a line of march, headed by the River City band, will be formed. The Masons will march to the Washington hotel to escort the guest of honor and the inspecting officer to the Temple. A division of Uniformed Knights Templar will form the escort for the distinguished visitors.

Following the conferring of the Fellow Craft degree upon a class of candidates, a sumptuous banquet will be served.

It has been predicted that this will be the largest meeting held by Aurora lodge since the dedication of the Temple several years ago.

## CAME TO PORTSMOUTH 43 YEARS AGO

The forty-third anniversary of the coming to Portsmouth of Dr. and Mrs. P. J. Kline, 705 Fourth street, occurred on the first day of April. Forty-three years ago on that day, Dr. Kline came to this city from Ross county near Chillicothe. Portsmouth was only a village when he came, said Dr. Kline, and "Bonafide" was then the center of town.

## M. W. of A. Convention

The County Convention of the M. W. of A. will be held here Wednesday evening and many delegates will attend. Two delegates will be elected to the state meeting of the M. W. of A. to be held in May in Columbus. At the state meeting two delegates will be elected to the National M. W. of A. Convention.

## TERMINALS

N. & W. yard engine 921, in charge of Conductor Zeuz and Engineer Lawless, derailed one car of iron at Ironton, Monday, at 10:30 a. m. The car was rerailed by the yard crew.

Isaiah Brown, N. & W. fireman, of Beech street, who has been ill for several months, is no better.

Mrs. Ollie Salesberry, of Gallia street, is threatened with typhoid fever.

H. K. McIlroy, chairman of the O. R. T., of the Scioto division, returned Monday from Troutville, Va., where he attended the funeral services of General Chairman C. E. Layman.

Will Jackson, of the Jackson & Veneer grocery, of Gallia street, was a business visitor to Portsmouth, Tuesday.

J. W. Orthmeyer, N. & W. brakeman, who was injured several weeks ago, is steadily improving at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Massie, of Gallia street.

Mrs. B. C. Boyd and Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Massie, of Gallia street, who were called to Echo, W. Va., to attend the funeral of a relative, returned home Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Herman Veneer, of Gallia street, is visiting relatives at Hales Creek.

Saw Dead Man.

J. F. Potts, manager of the Arcadia theatre, was on passenger train No. 2, C. & O., which killed Brakeman O. K. Black near Quincy, Ky., Monday afternoon.

He was one of the first men to reach Black, whose right arm and right leg were cut off. Mr. Potts stated last night that no blood was visible, it being the first time he ever saw a man with an arm and leg cut off that did not bleed. Black's life evidently was snuffed out so quickly by the wheels of the train that no blood was shed.

Black's body was taken to his home in Covington late Monday afternoon. He had been employed as a brakeman by the C. & O. for some time. He was about 40 years old.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walker, of New Boston, are the proud parents of a baby boy who arrived Tuesday. Mr. Walker is employed with the Harrison-Walker company.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben H. Griffith, of 3001 Walnut street, are the parents of an eight pound boy born April 1. The child has been named Glen Vernon.

Accused of Stealing Bike

Officer Billie Osborn arrested Edward Diles Monday evening on a charge of stealing a bicycle.

## GIVE FRANCE BILLION TO DEMONSTRATE GRATITUDE, URGE PATRIOTIC AMERICANS



John Skelton Williams (left) and Myron T. Herrick.

One billion dollars credit for France, without interest with unlimited time for payment, is the suggestion pouring into Washington from patriotic citizens all over the country as the first act of America's gratitude in the war. Many others would go even further and give the money outright to France, as a demonstration of gratitude for the help France gave the struggling colonies in the revolution. Among those favoring a big credit or gift are Myron T. Herrick, former ambassador to France, and John Skelton Williams, controller of the United States treasury.

## SOCIETY

Miss Beulah Lowless, of Ironton, and Leslie Meyer, of Vanceburg, were guests recently of Elbert Lowless, of Fourth street.

Mrs. Bert Lowless, of Ironton, was called to Portsmouth on account of the illness of her son, Elbert Lowless, of Fourth street.

Dr. and Mrs. George W. Martin, Sixth street, returned Monday from an extended trip through the South. While away they visited cities in Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Tennessee and Cuba. They had splendid weather and enjoyed the trip very much.

"There seems to be more patriotism in the Southern states than up here," Dr. Martin says.

Mrs. William S. Meyer returned to her home in Columbus, Tuesday afternoon after a short visit to Portsmouth relatives and friends. Mr. Meyer spent Sunday here.

Mr. Paul Davidson has returned to Massillon, O., after a short visit to friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Azaroh, who were married in Cincinnati, Sunday, have returned to this city and will reside on Fifth street.

Thelma Marie, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Wolfe, 1229 Fourteenth street, was baptized Sunday afternoon at one o'clock in St. Mary's church, by Rev. Father T. A. Guebel. The sponsors were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stoppe, 1638 Grant street.

Mrs. Sigmund Hoes, of Seventeenth street, who was recently operated upon in a Cincinnati hospital, has returned to her home here and was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Charles Baas.

## DUTIEL'S CORNER

John Sheppard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Will Sheppard, Lyr, died Sunday morning. The funeral was held at Antioch, Tuesday. Interment was made in the Vernon cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Fain and two children, Fay and Lester, King's Mills, are visiting with relatives and friends here.

Mrs. Saul Turvey was calling on Mrs. Milton Hughes Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Cable were calling on Rose and Jack Cable, Sunday.

Mrs. Clinton Shoemaker, of Lick Run, spent Saturday and Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Nora Hudson.

Charles Besco, who is working in Wheelersburg, spent Sunday with home folks.

Mrs. John Farrell, who has been sick for some time, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morgan, Lilly, were calling on home folks Tuesday.

Mrs. Frank Hunter and Misses Nola and Violet Hunter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bennington.

Mrs. S. S. Matthiot, who has been visiting relatives in Portsmouth, returned Sunday.

John and Floyd Dutiel are building a house for Ed Marsh.

Willard Hunter and Walter Bennington were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clay Knight, Scioto Farm, recently.

Charley Forrell spent Saturday with Sam Matthiot, Lick Run.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morgan, Mrs. Lita Weaver and Mrs. F. W. Ruth were calling on Mr. and Mrs. John Farrell Sunday.

Mrs. Nellie Fain was calling on Mrs. Jessie Roof Sunday.

Milton Hughes went to Virginia last week for a visit.

## RARDEN

John Taylor, an employee of the Cass Weaver saw-mill, was painfully injured Wednesday when a belt broke

## NEED OF NAVY RECRUITS EMPHASIZED IN APPEAL

### Court House

#### Arguments Being Heard

At press time attorneys in the case of Rufus Wilson against the City of Portsmouth, suit for \$3,500 damages alleged due for injury to property growing out of the improvement of Gallia street, were submitting arguments. The case, which is being heard before Judge E. B. Corn, Ironton, will probably be submitted to the jury late this afternoon. Mulner, Miller, Seard and Marting represent the plaintiff and City Solicitor Anselm Skelton the defense.

#### Fryer Estate

The first and final account of Matilda C. Fryer, administratrix of the estate of the late Mary Fryer was filed in probate court, Tuesday. The account shows receipts amounting to \$1923.91.

#### Good Not Good, Says Mrs. Good

Married at Manchester, O., February 6, 1893, Millie Good is now seeking a divorce and alimony from Grant Good, whom she av-

ers, abandoned her in this city fourteen months ago. Habitual drunkenness and extreme cruelty are the charges cited for the action. The property free of dower right of the defendant is also asked. Judge T. C. Beatty represents the plaintiff.

#### Widdig Estate

Charles Widdig, administrator of the estate of the late Valentine Widdig filed his first and final account in probate court, Tuesday. The account shows receipts amounting to \$4,489.63.

#### Partition Made

The accomplishment of an amicable partition in the action brought by Charles F. Steahly against Lizzie Sheppard, et al., has been made, according to an entry recorded on the common pleas court journal and the action has been dismissed. Judge Noah J. Dever represented the plaintiff.

## APRIL IN AMERICAN WAR HISTORY

- April 19, 1775—Revolutionary war started by battle of Lexington, Mass.
- April 12, 1861—Fort Sumter, Charleston harbor, bombarded, beginning the Civil War.
- April 9, 1865—General Robert E. Lee surrendered at Appomattox to General Grant, ending the Civil War.
- April 25, 1898—President McKinley, in a message to congress, declared a state of war with Spain existed.

## ARRANGE DEBATE WITH PARKERSBURG

A dual debate has been arranged between Parkersburg high school and Portsmouth high school. It will be staged Monday, April 19 here and in Parkersburg, the question in debate being "Resolved, That the United States Should

Adopt Universal Military Training." Howard Lowry, Royal Marling, Ward Miller and Harry Davidson are four of the six debaters. Two others from the three lower classes will be chosen at a trial debate to be held Thursday evening.

#### Ask and Learn

Ordinarily the man who ceases to ask questions has ceased to learn. And when a man ceases to learn he grows complacent. Complacency sets in and he begins to deteriorate. The lack of curiosity in a man is a sign of age. You can be sure that you are getting old if you have lost curiosity. But old age (intellectually) comes on very early with some people and with others it never seems to come. Many old people have younger and more eager minds than their children—American Magazine.

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# Portsmouth Men Express Their Views On War Message

## Stand By President Prevailing Sentiment

That American spirit which knows no sacrifice too great, nor no duty too stern in times of danger, spread over the city Monday night and Tuesday. It was the kind of patriotism upon which the foundations of this great American republic was firmly laid by the pioneers.

This smouldering spirit needed but the command of the president to awaken it to instant action. Wilson's memorable address before a joint session of the Sixty-fifth congress Monday evening was the stimulant that quickened the pulse of the community from the smallest boy of the streets to the eldest and most dignified citizens.

It was a great, strong, viril American speech, was the unanimous verdict about the street. It was the kind of a speech that presages the great latent strength of the nation and the splendid principles of humanity and liberty, which are so dearly loved and revered by all Americans.

Expressions taken about the city, show that the community unqualifyingly endorsed the stand taken by the president are ready and alert to back up this stand.

"It is the best state paper in forty years," earnestly declared Judge John C. Milner Tuesday morning in discussing the president's indictment. "It is finely expressed and right to the point."

"I am absolutely in favor of backing the president," George E. Krieger asserted when asked what he thought of the message. "It is the one thing, the only thing and the right thing for President Wilson to do."

Attorney Harry W. Miller said, "It is a wonderful state paper."

"There is no difference of opinion in America," said Senator W. D. Trempier, "as to the position taken in this crisis and the country stands absolutely with the president."

"I am not for war, not even with the German people," Rev. Albert Marting, Fourth Street Methodist church says. "But I am ready for a change in the German form of government. Why not demand a change of form of government and complete immunity for the German people?"

"President Wilson seems to

have the situation well in hand," Mark W. Selby, vice president of the Selby Shoe company says. "I approve of the action he has taken."

"Wilson's advice is very statesman-like," Dr. C. E. Chandler, pastor of the Bigelow Methodist church says, "and it reveals with a clear and wide vision, first his friendliness toward the German people, which has been shown not only by his words but by his cautious and patient diplomacy in the past; and second, his vision reveals that the end of his thought is a world peace, which can only come with an alliance of true democratic governments. A war for democracy will result in a world peace."

"I think that President Wilson has taken the right way. We all want to support him. All the president wants is a lasting peace, through war," Samuel Horchow says.

"I heartily commend the President for the stand he took in his address," Dr. G. W. Martin says. "I think that it is the thing to do and I feel that everyone will be loyal. If they need me I am ready to go."

"I fully endorse the President's stand," Ben G. Harris, president of the Business Men's Association declared. "I think that every man ought to abide by the choice of the country."

"I think that the President's message was distinctive, decisive and masterful," is the way Representative William R. Sprague expressed it. "It is the best state paper in the last fifty years."

"I think," Edward J. Daehler says, "the stand taken by President Wilson is the only thing he could do."

"I think the President gave a very good message," Albert Zoellner, former president of the Business Men's Association says. "It is the best thing for all of us."

"I think it is the only thing the President could have done," Warwick W. Anderson says. "I am willing to uphold the position he has taken."

"I believe everyone should uphold the President in the stand he has taken," Arthur Brown, assistant city engineer says.

## BOARD OF TRADE PLEDGES SUPPORT

Valley Harold, president of the Board of Trade, was authorized by the directors at a meeting Monday afternoon to draft a resolution endorsing the attitude taken by President Wilson toward Germany and to pledge the support of the organization. A

copy of this resolution is to be forwarded to Washington.

R. E. Thomas, secretary, was instructed to attend a meeting of the state secretaries, which will be held at Dayton April 21 and 22.

E. C. McCoy, S. H. Lawther and C. L. Tarr were elected to membership.

## Boy Scouts Are Ready

According to M. H. F. Kinsey, Boy Scout Commissioner of Portsmouth the Boy Scouts of this city and county are anxiously awaiting the call to service. They will offer their services to mayors and will do only civic service work.

Each troop in the city will mobilize this week at their usual places when their scout master calls for mobilization. Next week there will be a mobilization of all troops in the city.

A prize will be given the troop mobilizing first.

## Asked To Fly Flags

Every member of the Business Men's Association is asked and requested by Ben

G. Harris, president, to display the American flag on the fronts of the business houses during the day. This call was issued Tuesday afternoon.

R. E. Thomas, secretary of the organization, was instructed to purchase an American flag and display it from the windows of the Business Men's Association offices.

Wear your Country's Flag. Lapel Buttons and Pins, 15c and 25c. Albert Zoellner, Jeweler. 3-25

One bottle of Amolox cured me. For ten years I suffered with eczema of the scalp, my head being covered with scales and scabs. I tried everything recommended and everything advertised without relief until I bought a bottle of Amolox. It relieved the itching at once and one bottle entirely cured my eczema. I heartily and cheerfully recommend it to all sufferers of this terrible disease.

JAMES W. SEWARD, Brazil, Indiana. Amolox Ointment alone will quickly banish pimples, blackheads and take out all redness of the skin and cure most forms of skin disease. Bids chronic cases of Eczema, Psoriasis, Tetter, that have lasted for years, yield more quickly when both ointment and liquid are used. Send postal for free sample to Amolox Laboratories, Youngstown, Ohio. Trial size 50c. If it fails to do what is claimed of it money will be cheerfully paid back by Wurster Bros.

## Enlists In Cavalry

Lloyd O'Rourke, 20, employee of the Whitaker-Glessner Company, enlisted at the local U. S. army recruiting station Monday in the cavalry and was shipped to Fort Thomas, Kentucky. Last month Sergeant Campbell shipped six men out of 20 applicants, the best month in the local office for several years.

## Negro Is Robbed

Holding the sharp point of a knife close to the throat of his victim, a negro alleged to be John Rucker, relieved John Jones, negro, an employee of the Dravo Construction company, New Boston, of a roll containing \$18 Sunday afternoon.

The hold-up took place near the Rinehart-Dennis camp, near Sciotoville. Jones was on his way to Sciotoville when Rucker stopped out and held him up, according to the story told Deputy Sheriff Ernest Riekey. The deputy sheriff went to the construction camps and made a search, but did not find Rucker.

Flowers will turn toward an artificial light just as they do toward the sun.

## Wives And Mothers OF DRINKERS



## \$10,000 Reward

The happy and successful business man whose picture appears above was for years a heavy drinker. He was down and out and gradually making for a drunkard's grave, when suddenly, by a godsend and the kindly efforts of his sister, he was rescued and enabled to quit the use of alcohol within a few days.

Since then he has never taken a glass of whiskey, gin, ale, beer or any other alcoholic drink.

## Drink Did It

Yes, drink habit almost ruined this man, just as it is doing to legions of men the present day. Let wives, mothers and sisters take heed, as they may now find what they have been seeking so anxiously, a victory over the craving for drink.

Only three days are required to make a successful and lasting victory. This can be done at home.

Here is something that has stood the test of time and gained a world-wide reputation.

There is also the secret method that can be adopted by wives, mothers and sisters in those cases where the victim has lost all will power and desire to be rescued, and who must be saved against his will and knowledge. Save him from a sad and disgraceful grave.

The enormous sum of \$10,000 will be paid if it can not be proved that thousands and thousands of letters have been received from men and women who have, according to their own admission, conquered the drink habit by the method similar to that told about in a book that is here offered without a cent of charge to you.

## BOOK FREE

The book "Confessions of a Former Alcohol Slave," will be mailed, absolutely free (in plain wrapper) to any one who writes.

If you have a duty to fulfill to yourself or another, remember delays are dangerous.

Get the benefit of Mr. Woods' experience. He is now successful and progressive, has a fine family and is eminently happy. He comes to the assistance of his fellow-beings in showing them the light, and is a firm believer of the proverb, "It is never too late to mend."

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## Columbia Tonight

**MME. PETROVA**

AS THE  
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THE TOAST OF PARIS  
IN A PLAY WITH AN  
INTENSE DRAMATIC CLIMAX  
"THE  
BLACK BUTTERFLY"

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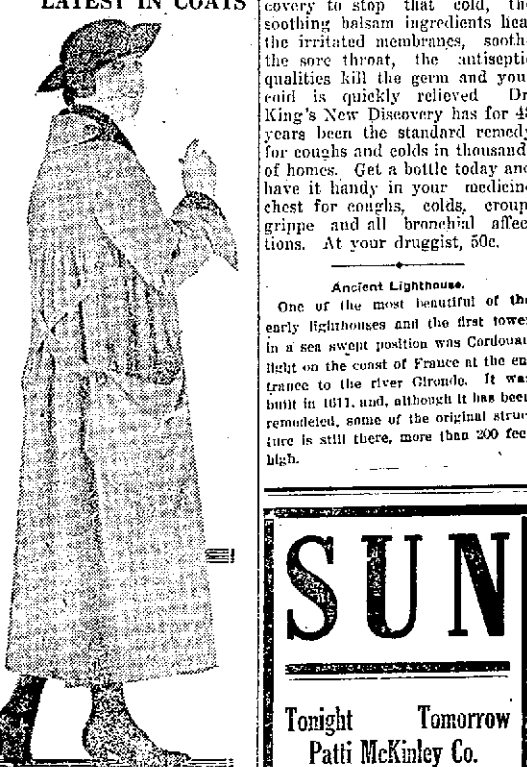
## The Big Question

A short patriotic picture showing our "War" Presidents, George Washington in 1776. James K. Polk in 1845. Abraham Lincoln in 1861. William McKinley in 1897. Woodrow Wilson and the "BIG QUESTION" of today.

## New Block Will Be Built At New Boston

New Boston is to receive another modern brick business block that will mean much to the village. H. A. Bierley of the H. A. Bierley Realty Co. announced Tuesday that work would be started Monday on the erection of a two story brick business block to be located on the south side of Gallia street near Park avenue.

## MAIL BAG EFFECT LATEST IN COATS



Coats mean something these days and nearly every one now to be seen on the avenue has a suggestion of the utilitarian about it. This coat has cross-straps and pockets and brings strongly to mind the worthy postman. The cut and hang of this coat is smart, attractive and distinctly dashing.

Three Weeks.

The terms "calf week," "cow week" and "bull week" are applied in many of England's great industrial centers to the three weeks before the Christmas holiday week. In "calf week" the men work time and a third, in "cow week" time and two-thirds and in "bull week" double time in order to make up for loss of output caused by the Christmas holidays.

## SUN

Tonight Tomorrow  
Patti McKinley Co.  
Presents Theda Bara's wonderful picture play

## "The Vampire"

Not a moving picture  
This is a wonderful production  
PRICES: 10, 20, 30, 50  
Curtain at 8:00 P. M.  
Box office open all day  
Thursday: Jesse James

## Clothes that arouse the Envy of the Tailor

YOU MEN WHO DON'T BELIEVE THAT YOU CAN GET CLOTHES OF STYLE, QUALITY AND PERFECT FIT FOR LESS THAN

**\$25.00 or \$30.00**

See this wonderful line of SHYMANSKI & SONS before you buy the only guaranteed clothes of its kind made in America. WE MEAN WHAT WE SAY! Every inch of EVERY YARD of goods in every garment is positively and absolutely guaranteed by this big clothing manufacturer to be ABSOLUTELY PURE WOOL AND WORSTED YARN, HAND TAILORED AND FADE-PROOF OR A NEW GARMENT IN EXCHANGE. WE SIGN THE GUARANTEE. Ask the salesman to show you the guaranteed label sewed in the coat—it's your guarantee the label protects you. A SMALL THING TO LOOK FOR—A BIG THING TO FIND. You can step into one of these suits and there isn't a man you'll meet in the fashionable hotels, clubs or lodge, in your home or anywhere else who can say that you paid less than \$25.00 or \$30.00 for it. If your size is from 34 to 48 we can fit you. Beautiful all wool worsteds in Brown, Blue, Gray, fancy and Blacks at the cut prices.

**\$16.75 \$18.25 \$19.75**

THE OLD RELIABLE

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THE BEST PLACE TO SHOP AFTER ALL

## GET TEACHERS' CERTIFICATES

The following applicants were granted elementary teachers' certificates at the March teachers' examination, but the certificates will not be sent out until the teaching tests are given:

One Year—Luneta Harr, Anna Kenouse, Anna Gallagher, Emma Nourse, Golda O'Neal, Ella Thatcher.

Three Years—Lauretta Dupre, Margaret Jackson, Emma Thatcher.

Temporary, to September 1, 1917—Anna Bennett, Alva J. Allen, Mearl Schaffer, Hazel Lemon.

Renewal—three years—Alma Davisson.

## BRUSH CREEK

The farmers of this vicinity are busy with spring farm work.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jones and son, Oscar, were business visitors at Portsmouth, Saturday.

William Brown and family spent Sunday at the Blair farm.

William Robinson has returned from an extended visit with relatives at Chillicothe.

Mr. and Mrs. Madison Mustard spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hamer Baker.

A. H. Jones was a business visitor at Portsmouth Saturday.

Mrs. S. Adkins is visiting friends in Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Brown and grand son, Ernest, spent Sunday with Ed McGowan and family.

Bert Jordan has moved to the Edward Jones farm.

Miss Mary Mustard has returned home after an extended visit with friends and relatives in Kentucky.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie McCall, Buch Fork, were visiting A. H. Jones and family, Sunday.

Wm. Jones and A. C. Wamsley were in Ottway on business Saturday.

Robert Mustard and daughter, Mary, were Sunday visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Homer Baker's.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Miller and Celia Riley spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Miller.

Thomas Riley was a business visitor at Portsmouth, Saturday.

C. O. Mustard was calling on friends at Rocky Fork, Sunday.

Thomas Riley is repairing his stock barn.

Floyd Liston visited Ed Jones, Sunday.

William Robinson, of the Blair farm, was calling on friends at Bean Hill, Sunday.

## LILLY

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hall, Wait's Station, were business visitors at

## visited Portsmouth, Monday.

Mrs. Fannie Morgan was the Sunday guest of her sister, Mrs. Ike Graham, near Gephart's Station.

Floyd and Robert Grashel visited Alonzo and Landay White, Sunday.

George Yoley, New Boston, visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Yoley, Wait's Station, Sunday.

Walt Bussey and Miss Clara Chamberlain were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Turner.

Miss Agnes Turner, who has been suffering with pneumonia, is slowly improving.

Roy Erick, Sciotoville, was visiting friends at Wait's Station, Sunday.

Fred Grashel and Alonzo Whitel are cutting timber for Oscar Barklow.

Mrs. Lewis White visited Mrs. Will Hall, Wait's Station, Sunday.

Albert Grashel, Sciotoville, was the Sunday guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Grashel, Gephart's Station.

Miss Nora Yoley visited Miss Temperance Sherman, Wait's Station, Sunday.

Ireland has a breed of cattle that seldom grows more than three feet high and thrives in the poorest pasture, yet the cows yield twenty quarts of milk daily.

## The Quinine That Does Not Cause Nervousness or Ringing in Head

Because of its Tonic and Laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE can be taken by anyone without causing nervousness or ringing in the head. It removes the cause of Colds, Grip and Headache. Used whenever Quinine is needed.

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## "Bromo Quinine"

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This Signature on Every Box

Used the World Over to Cure a Cold in One Day. 25c.

**E. W. Grove**

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# Pretty Easter Blouses

Made of Crepe de Chine, Georgette Wash Silk and fine Lingerie.

We are prepared to show you the best assortment for your Easter preparation and individuality of style is foremost in this splendid collection.

Of course large collar effects predominate with medium and low neck effects that will suit. Our color range includes all the new Spring shades as well as white or black and the size assortment includes all ranges.

Crepe De Chine Blouses from .....\$3.95 to \$6.00

Georgette Crepe Blouses from .....\$5.00 to \$8.50

Lingerie Blouses from .....\$1.00 to \$3.50

## Stunning Styles In Silk Suits

For the Easter parade you will find it advisable to come to Marting's for your new suit as we have just received a large new assortment of choice models.

Good Taffeta Silk Suits at .....\$19.75 to \$29.50

Taffeta and Gros De Londre Suits at .....\$29.50 to \$35.00

Faille Silk Suits in price from .....\$39.50 to \$45.00

Khaki Kool Silk Suits, at, each .....\$50.00

Choice styles, all colors, all sizes.

## Character Hats For Easter

When you buy a character hat at this millinery department you know that it is a hand made hat of an exclusive pattern that would cost you from \$7.00 to \$8.50 if we had purchased them in a regular way.

But our millinery methods are different and character hats are all different in style. But the price always remains the same, namely \$5.00 each.

Come and see this week's assortment.

## Easter Gloves, Silk or Kid Styles

Your choice of either style. Do not wait until the last day when sizes may be broken. Come at once and let us fit your hands.

## Easter Shoes For Women, Misses and Children

The kind that will not make you limp the rest of the week. Styles are correct and prices reasonable. Come and see them.

## Easter Hosiery, Of Course, They Must Be Silk

Plain colors, Black, White or fancy effects in largest assortments are here for you to choose from. Our hosiery department is ready to serve you.

## Choice New Styles in Easter Neckwear

## Marting's

## Large Assortment of Easter Jewelry

# IRONTON HAS A CHANCE FOR BIG ARMOR PLANT

Washington, April 3.—Ironton, Ohio, has been named as one of three possible sites for the Federal Armor Plate Plant, by the Special Site Inspection Board appointed by the secretary of the navy.

Secretary Daniels has not determined which of three places will be selected, but Ohioans were

# "Dry" Democrats To Hear Bryan Speak

A mass meeting of Democrats in Ohio who are in sympathy with a movement to make Ohio "dry" will be held at the Columbus Chamber of Commerce auditorium April 12, beginning at ten o'clock a. m., according to announcements sent out.

The meeting is the result of action taken at a gathering of "dry" members of the Democratic party held at Columbus in January. At the January meeting William J. Bryan, former secretary of state, made an address in which he expressed his unqualified approval of such a meeting and recommended that an active organization among the Democrats in Ohio.

This meeting will be the first of its kind to be called by members of leading political parties in Ohio. In connection with the April meeting the services of former Secretary Bryan will be secured for an address.

Observation of the anniversary of the birth of Thomas Jefferson will be made at the same time, his "birthday" coming on April 13.

Every Democrat in the state interested in the dry movement is urged to attend this meeting, the promoters say.

The general invitation which has been issued, bears more than one hundred and fifty names of prominent dry Democrats.

Polish women are renowned for the beauty of their hands. They place gracefulness of the hands above all other charms.

## Never Hesitates to Recommend Good Kidney Medicine

For fifteen years I have been fond of and selling Dr. Kilmor's Kidney Medicine, a perfectly safe and reliable medicine. It is a preparation that has given universal satisfaction to all those who speak very favorably of it. I enjoy a splendid sale in repeat orders, and it is my belief that Swampfoot will do it all. It is claimed for it and I never hesitated to recommend it in cases of the kidneys, liver and bladder.

Very truly yours,  
GUY W. WATKINS,  
April 25, 1916.

Letter to  
Dr. Kilmor & Co.,  
Binghamton, N. Y.

Prove What Swampfoot Will Do For You

Send ten cents to Dr. Kilmor & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. It will cure anyone. You will also receive a booklet of valuable information, telling about the kidneys and bladder. When writing, be sure and mention the Portsmouth Daily Times. Regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles for sale at all drug stores.

## March Winds

are responsible for many broken lenses. Glasses that are blown off the face—has that happened to you? We can sell you a good solid gold safety chain for \$1.50, gold filled 75c to \$1.00, best quality. These safety chains are new and neat and will save you many lenses.

We can replace, broken lenses on short notice, no matter where you bought them, we can duplicate any lens you break. Our prices are very reasonable.

Otto Zoellner & Bro.  
415 Chillicothe St.

## TO PREPARE PLANS FOR AUDITORIUM

Trustees of Valley township have commissioned DeVoss and Donaldson, local architects, to prepare plans and specifications for a handsome new auditorium, which is to be built on a lot recently purchased from Arthur S. Moulton, Lucasville. The building is to contain all of the latest conveniences and will cost approximately \$5,500. The building will be used for community gatherings.

## HOLY REDEEMER CHURCH NOTES

The most solemn part of Holy Week beginning with Holy Thursday will be impressively observed at Holy Redeemer church.

Holy Thursday, so called because it commemorates the institution by Christ, of the Eucharistic Sacrifice and Sacrament of the real Body and Blood of Christ, will be celebrated by High Mass at eight o'clock a. m. and reception of Communion at 4:30 a. m. and also at Mass. All the school children will take part in the procession. All men, young and old together with the members of the Sacred Heart league will receive Holy Communion, which privilege includes Holy Communion on Easter Sunday.

Good Friday, which commemorates the death of Christ by crucifixion for the salvation of all men, will be observed at 7 o'clock a. m. The chief impressive ceremony of the day consists of the Adoration of the Cross.

In the evening at 7 o'clock the Stations of the Cross will be made by the entire congregation.

The ceremonies of Holy Saturday, consisting of the reading of the fourteen prophecies, the blessings of the new light, the paschal candle, the baptismal wa-

ter and the completion of the presanctified Mass at which all the children take part.

The Repository where the Blessed Sacrament is preserved from Holy Thursday until Good Friday is beautifully decorated with plants, flowers and lights. Here the faithful gather during all the hours of Holy Thursday to pray to the Blessed Sacrament according to the intentions of the Holy Father and their own private intentions.

Easter Sunday, the grand climax of the Passion and Death of the Savior, commemorates His Resurrection from the dead. The church is appropriately decorated according to the spirit of the grand feast. The choir has prepared a special program of music for the Mass. The collections at both masses represent the Easter offerings of the faithful to their pastor. Confessions on Wednesday will be heard morning, afternoon and evening. It has been arranged to have the women of the parish to be heard in afternoon so that the evening will be given for the benefit of the men. Reverend Father Carey will assist the pastor in the work of hearing confessions.

## NEWS OF ALL SAINTS PARISH

One hundred and seventy-four communions were made on Palm Sunday; the largest number in the history of the parish.

There will be service every evening during Holy Week at 7:30 o'clock. These services will last a little over half an hour, and will consist of prayers and hymns with brief addresses. There will be no offertory except on Wednesday evening and Good Friday evening.

The Holy Communion will be celebrated daily except on Good Friday and Holy Saturday, days upon which the Sacrament is never celebrated in the church. On Thursday, which is the "Dies Mandati" or Maundy Thursday, the day of the institution of the "Blessed Sacrament," there will be two celebrations, the first at 7 a. m. and the second at 9 a. m. Both of these celebrations will be in the church. The rector requests the attendance of every communicant who is able to be present on Maundy Thursday. You are asked to make a special effort to honor our Lord on this day.

Arrange your affairs now so as to be present at the attending the "Three Hours" service on Good Friday. The service is held from 12 noon to 3 p. m. and consists of addresses on the "Seven Last Words" from the Cross, and the use of special prayers and hymns. Make up your mind to observe the Lord's Death Day if you call yourself a Christian. This service is attended by many not connected with the church who feel that they ought not to ignore the

hours during which the world's Redeemer hung upon His cross. We welcome all who really love their Lord enough to care that He suffers for them at this service.

Make a note of the fact that at half past seven in the evening of Good Friday the members of the Cavalry Commandery of Knights Templar will attend All Saints church in a body, and arrange to attend this beautiful service. Sir Knight and Rector E. Ainger Powell will make a special address on this occasion.

Envelopes accompanied by an appeal have been sent to all communicants and it is hoped that there may be a generous response to the appeal for the Easter offering this year. You are urged to consider not how little, but much you can give.

## ASK YOUR FRIEND

There is hardly a neighborhood in any city, town or hamlet in the United States where women cannot be found who have derived benefit from Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. For more than forty years this famous remedy has been overcoming some of the worst cases of female ills. As one woman has found help, she has told another, who has used it with the same result; so the use of this great medicine has spread from shore to shore by the recommendation of those who have found it good. Therefore, ask your neighbor, let her tell you from experience the benefit which ailing women derive from the use of this famous medicine.

## The Movies

### "Each To His Kind," Paramount

Feature at Lyric Tonight  
The scenes of "Each To His Kind," the thrilling drama of English and India society life, with Sessue Hayakawa, the noted Japanese actor, in the stellar role, which will be at the Lyric tonight, were laid around one of the famous old colleges at Oxford and in the heart of India. Mr. Hayakawa is seen in this Lasky-Paramount Picture as the son of the Maharajah who is sent to England to be educated. Through the flirtation of a girl he rows a feud against the English and returns to his own country. How his hatred is eventually appeased is depicted in a startling and vivid manner. Supporting Mr. Hayakawa are Tsuru Aoki, the clever Japanese actress, Vola Vale, Ernest Joy, Walter Long and others.

Alice Brady in "The Hungry Heart," At Lyric Tomorrow  
Remarkably effective scenes, splendid costuming, a thrilling story and superb acting characterize "The Hungry Heart," the newest World Picture Brady-made which will be seen at the Lyric theatre tomorrow with Miss Alice Brady in the leading role. Taken from the famous play, "Frou Frou," this entrancing offering is extremely effective. It tells a consistent, highly interesting story in a thoroughly pleasing manner. Miss Brady wears the very latest thing in clothes in this great production and for this reason the picture will be of more than ordinary interest to all women.

Mme. Olga Petrova in "The Black Butterfly," Also a Short Patriotic Picture Columbia Tonight  
Many striking scenic efforts are shown in the Metro production, "The Black Butterfly," with Mme. Petrova as star, which will be seen at the Columbia tonight.

One of the most remarkable is a reproduction of a den of Paris. Another, which Mme. Petrova herself, with the aid of her camera man, Andre Barlatier, staged and directed. The scene represented is the famous Caveau, where Apaches and their gigolettes drink, dine and dance. Real Apache dancing is given by artists of the first rank and every detail of the scene is carried out with absolute accuracy and realism.

Another of the remarkable scenes shows the famous battle of the Marne, where Von Kluck's invading army was turned back and Paris saved. The battle scenes are unusually dramatic and realistic.

At The Exhibit  
"The Monroe Doctrine" is the title of chapter 9 of "Pearl of the Army," serial being shown tonight at the Exhibit. In this chapter more drilling and mysterious things occur that add increased interest to the picture.

Pearl White is the star of this chapter play that is shown here every Tuesday. A reel of world events and a reel of comic and scenic pictures conclude the program. Starting Wednesday, "Perils of Our Girl Reporters," 2 act dramas, featuring Earl Metcalf.

At The Arcana  
"Avarice" is the title of the Universal Star drama showing tonight at the popular Arcana. Claire MacDowell is the Universal star appearing in this production, which is one of extraordinary value. Everyone should see it.

"The Crimson Arrow" is the title of a two-part Big-U Western drama, featuring real Indians. This picture contains everything to make it gripping and sensational. Shown today only. "Fear-

less Freddy in the Woolly West," is a screaming cartoon comedy filled with laughs.

At The Strand  
"The Crimson Stain Mystery," that famous and thrilling Metro serial is nearing an end and as the chapter play gets nearer the end it becomes more and more interesting. See tonight's chapter for it is a real thriller. "De- spoiling Brutes," is the title of chapter 13, being shown today. "When the Tide Turned," is a three-act Mutual drama of tense comedy, featuring Claire Anderson and Hughie Faye. It's a regular scream from start to finish. Good music every evening.

The speaker also dwelt on the opportunities and responsibilities of womanhood. The early training and education of our youth is in the hands of mothers and women teachers largely. Woman's influence was also enlarged upon. On these things were based the appeal which was a strong one. Appealing to women to respond to Christ's invitation as an expression of gratitude. The appeal was not in vain for many responded.

The services tonight will be at 7:30. It will be men's night. The subject will be "Jesus God's Man." The male chorus will sing a special song and Earl Reinhart will sing a solo. The general public is invited to attend.

Grandview Mothers' Night  
A full house and six added looked good for Monday night. Evangelist MacDonald, preached on "The Greatest Sin in Portsmouth." He claimed that it is not some overt act committed as a crime but the sin of omission, ingratitude for God's goodness and mercy and salvation is the sin that condemns. The blood of Jesus saves from all sin, but the good we fail to do. How can God forgive these failures? All are asked to wear a flower in honor of Mother. "A rose for the living is better than a wreath for the dead."

"Better to buy a cheap bouquet To give to your mother this very day."

Than a bushel of roses white and red To lay on her casket when she's dead."

Carnations on sale at church door tonight.

Reserved seats for mothers. Everybody invited.

Noonday meeting at Breece Manufacturing Co., Wednesday, address by the evangelist.

MacDonaldisms  
If you want to build your day's energy into muscle and manhood and save him from evil habits buy him a bell bat.

A boy's broken bone is easier mended than a mother's broken heart.

At The Temple  
A rare treat in moving pictures is offered East End moving picture fans tonight at the Temple.

William S. Hart, the Triangle star in thrilling Western photo plays, is the leading character in "The Dawnmaker," a play of unusual Bee production which is the headliner on tonight's big bill. "The Dawnmaker" is a play of unusual gripping interest. "She Loved a Sailor" is a two-act Keystone three-act Mutual drama of tense comedy, featuring Claire Anderson and Hughie Faye. It's a regular scream from start to finish. Good music every evening.

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Don't Spoil Your New Frocks By Wearing An Old Corset!

## "Sa Camille"

Front Lace Corsets For Spring Are Exhibited Now.

Have your corset fitted this week, so that when you are ready to select the new Spring wardrobe there will be the proper foundation waiting for it.

The New Models Are Delightful

Featuring just slight, subtle changes that are, nevertheless, important—lines that will charmingly display the fashionable garments for the coming season.

Corset Department and Fitting Room Second Floor

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# REVIVALS

## First Christian Church

Another splendid audience greeted the speaker at the First Christian last night. The revival spirit is manifest on every hand. The big chorus rendered valuable service in leading the songs. Miss Bess Goodman delighted the audience with a beautiful solo. Eight more responded to the invitation of the gospel, bringing the total to date to 65.

Rev. Oakley was at his best in the sermon on "Jesus and Woman." He traced the history of woman's connection with the Christian religion. The debt that women owe to Christianity was brought out. The condition of woman in the earlier times was contrasted with today. Woman's condition in heathen countries was also contrasted with her position in Christian nations.

The speaker also dwelt on the opportunities and responsibilities of womanhood. The early training and education of our youth is in the hands of mothers and women teachers largely. Woman's influence was also enlarged upon. On these things were based the appeal which was a strong one. Appealing to women to respond to Christ's invitation as an expression of gratitude. The appeal was not in vain for many responded.

The services tonight will be at 7:30. It will be men's night. The subject will be "Jesus God's Man." The male chorus will sing a special song and Earl Reinhart will sing a solo. The general public is invited to attend.

## Grandview Mothers' Night

A full house and six added looked good for Monday night. Evangelist MacDonald, preached on "The Greatest Sin in Portsmouth."

He claimed that it is not some overt act committed as a crime but the sin of omission, ingratitude for God's goodness and mercy and salvation is the sin that condemns. The blood of Jesus saves from all sin, but the good we fail to do. How can God forgive these failures? All are asked to wear a flower in honor of Mother. "A rose for the living is better than a wreath for the dead."

"Better to buy a cheap bouquet To give to your mother this very day."

Than a bushel of roses white and red To lay on her casket when she's dead."

Carnations on sale at church door tonight.

Reserved seats for mothers. Everybody invited.

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"Hurry up with my change!" exclaimed the man who had just bought a ticket at the theater box office.

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## Boy Scout News

### Troop Eight Meets

Troop 8 Boy Scouts held a fine meeting last night at the home of Harold Bierley, Hutchins avenue. Special honors were awarded the following: Five merit badges to Harold Bierley and First Class badges to Norris Davis and William Boehner. Corwin Knowles, scribe of the troop, gave a most excellent address on the subject, "What Our Scouts Can Do In Time of War." James Scott also made a short talk on the same subject. A first aid corps was formed with the following members: Boehner, DeMunio, Mendel, Marsh, Harley, Knauss, Samson, K. Davis, Brook. The following members will constitute a signal corps: N. Davis, Pfau, Crum, True and Knowles. Two new members were received, Clarence Bowen and Orian Carter. This troop will be known as the "Hilltop Troop" in the future.

### Troop 14 Meeting

Troop 14 met last night with Scoutmaster Ransom Lockwood, 1541 Fifth street. After the transaction of business the scouts linked around the Boulevard. One new member, Ernest Sparks, was received. This troop is now building a cabin up Mabert's Road.

### THEATRICAL

At the Sun Today Miss Pauline LeRoy of the Patti McKinley players proved herself to be an actress of unusual ability last night when she appeared in the title role of "The Vampire." Miss LeRoy is without a doubt one of the cleverest women that has ever appeared in stock, and her work last night showed her at her best.

"The Vampire" will be presented again tonight and also tomorrow night.

Starting Thursday matinee the company will offer the new version of the sensational play "Jesse James."

Friday night will be another big country store. On account of the large number of names suggested for the theatre the committee was unable to decide on a name so it could be announced at last night's performance but it will be made later.

### ALSPAUGH

Porch Swings bolted together, will not pull apart.

Eye Is Removed

Mrs. Jacob Hoffman of Greenup, has returned from Cincinnati, where she had an eye removed several days ago, the result of it being badly infected. Dr. A. S. Brady, of Greenup, accompanied Mrs. Hoffman to Cincinnati.

## SOCIETY

Mr. L. B. Pyles and daughter, Thelma, of Scioto Furnace, were the weekend guests of Mr. Pyles' brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. William Reider, of 619 Boundary street. Mrs. Reider has been very ill and is slowly improving, being able to be out Monday for a short time, the first in six weeks.

Miss Evelyn Reed will arrive home Thursday from Philadelphia, where she attended school. She writes that the city is filled with flags.

The Ladies' Musical recital held Monday afternoon in the German Evangelical Sunday school auditorium was in charge of Mrs. P. E. Selby. There was a good attendance and the program was an excellent one, presented by Mrs. A. W. Dunn, Mrs. Edgar P. Draper, Miss Blake, Mrs. Earl Rardin, Mrs. Clarence Nodder, Miss Leonora Allard, Mrs. T. H. Magee and Miss Mary E. Pursell. The next entertainment will be The

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### WITH THE SICK

Henry Folsom, well known Green township farmer, who entered a Columbus hospital Friday and underwent an operation Saturday, was reported holding his own Tuesday morning, according to word received by relatives at Franklin Furnace. There will be hope for his recovery if he holds his own during the day. Mrs. Folsom and daughter, Miss Mae Folsom, are at his bedside.

Oliver Simon, of 2244 Vinton avenue, is at the point of death suffering with liver trouble and dropsy. He has been working at the N. & W. car shops.

### MASONIC NOTICE

Aurora Lodge No. 48 will meet this Tuesday evening at 6:30 to confer the Fellow Craft degree on a large class of candidates.

Thousands of people go through TIMES WANT ADS every night. They read them with profit.

Rose Maiden, to be presented next Tuesday evening in the High School Auditorium. An artists' recital will also be given in the near future. The guests were Mrs. A. D. Stevens, of Radford, Va., and Mrs. P. E. Selby's guests, Mrs. J. S. Thornton, Mrs. H. L. Whitehead and daughter, Jean, of Indianapolis, Ind.

Miss Ottaway Akers has gone to her home in Floyd county, after spending three months with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Cecil, 618 Seventh street, who accompanied her as far as Ironton in their machine.

The Jolly Fellowship Orchestra met last evening at the home of Miss Thelma Cunningham, on Grandview avenue, where dancing and music were indulged in until a late hour, when refreshments were served. Those present were: Misses Mary Kant, Marie Schlichter, Jennie Dodge, Thelma Cunningham, Mary Burke; Messrs. Robert DeMont, F. W. Haver, Harold Hayes, Glenn Warner, Wilbur Welman, Earl Hayes, Frank Gasele.

A part of Miss Myrtle Sowers' music pupils gave a recital Saturday afternoon at Kendall Avenue church. The program follows:

Mrs. Charles Russell—Woodland Echoes by Wyman.  
Edith Smith—Sweet Blossoms, by Herman.

Philip Pfarr, Jr.—At School March by Streabog.  
Eva Riggs—Whisperings of Love by Kinkel.

Lois Burton—Purple Pansy Waltz—Farris.

Lois Burton, Ruth Burton—Duet, U and I Waltz, by Claribel.  
Howard Riggs—Pearly Dew Drops by Berbeck.

Dorothy Phillips—Demonstration with Metronome.  
Dorothy Phillips, Atha Boss—Duet, Secret Wishes—Hiller.

John Sowers Pfarr—Last Hope, by Gottschalk.  
Edna Donley—Convent Bells, by Spendler.

Edna Donley, Alice Foster—Duet, At School March, by Streabog.  
Estella Preller—Missa's in de Cold, Cold Ground—Phillips.

Carrie E. Pfarr—Love's Caprice, by Heindel.  
Catherine Micklethwait—Overture Patriotic by Weaver.

Elizabeth Goodman—Moon Winks by Stevens.  
Atha Boss—Morning Prayer—Streabog.

Catherine Micklethwait gave several readings during the program.

Graves Williams came home today from University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia.

Mrs. D. W. Wright, of Ironton, was a guest at dinner last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Halldeman.

Miss Helen Halldeman will return next Monday to Miss Evans' school, in Boston, Mass.

Members of Elm Grove, W. O. W. Circle, celebrated the seventh anniversary of the order Monday evening with an enthusiastic meeting. One application was received and two applications were favorably balloted upon. Buckeye Grove No. 81, W. O. W. Circle, affiliated with Elm Grove Circle at this meeting.

Mrs. J. T. Holstetter, delegate to the state meeting to be held in Lima April 19, was instructed to do her best to land the 1919 convention for Portsmouth. A program was enjoyed, after which refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. During the evening O. H. Lewis and J. T. Holstetter, of River City Camp, W. O. W. Lodge, gave splendid talks for the good of the order.

There will be no cooking class Wednesday at the Y. W. O. A. This week's meeting was deferred on account of it being Holy Week.

Misses Irene Skidmore and Carrie Irwin spent Sunday with Mrs. Morris Skidmore, in Garrison, Ky.

Mr. Thomas Silk has gone to Cleveland and Detroit on business for the Whitaker-Glessner Steel plant.

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Miss Florence Daehler will arrive home Thursday from Miami University, Oxford.

Orin B. Oakes has returned from a business trip to Cincinnati.

This week's meeting of the Art Circle has been postponed until Wednesday of next week, when it will be held at the home of Mrs. J. I. Hudson, who will have as guest Mrs. D. C. McNamara, of Mount Sterling, Ky.

Mrs. L. C. Zollinger was hostess at last evening's meeting of Mrs. C. F. Losh's class of the First Presbyterian Sunday school, at the home of Mrs. Joseph Lake. There were ten members present and three visitors.

The business was followed by a social hour, when refreshments were served. Miss Marcella Stork will be hostess at the next meeting.

Mrs. Morfin's class of the Second Presbyterian Sunday school held an interesting social meeting last evening at the home of Mrs. Mabel Stahl, on Ninth street. There were nineteen members present. Arrangements were made to send \$50 to Mr. and Mrs. Winn, missionaries to China. In an Easter contest Mrs. J. W. Osborn won a cluster of narcissus. The hostesses, Mrs. Stahl, Miss Ruth Paverly and Miss Marie Bertram, served dainty refreshments.

Mrs. D. C. McNamara, of Mount Sterling, will arrive Friday to visit at the home of Mrs. J. I. Hudson. Mrs. McNamara is known to many in Portsmouth as Mrs. Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. William Debo, of 704 Harvard street, recently entertained Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haggard. Mr. and Mrs. Haggard, who have been here visiting relatives and friends for several weeks, left Monday for their home in El Paso, Texas.

Dr. A. G. Sellaris, of 424 Waller street, has returned from a two months' stay in Florida.

Mrs. J. F. Grashel and Miss Orpha Kitchen, 1524 Third street, spent the week-end with relatives in Oak Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Davis, of Fulton, have arrived home from a three months' stay in Florida.

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Women's good dressing sacques of best dark percales. At 75c. With coupon 49c

**COUPON**  
Handkerchiefs  
Women's 3c hemstitched kerchiefs with coupon, per dozen 19c

**COUPON**  
65c Sheets 44c  
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\$2.50 Trimmed Hats \$1.39  
A table of women's trimmed Easter hats, large assortment of new shapes and colors. Special with the coupon \$1.39

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For Easter, white or black kid gloves, black or white stitching, regular \$1.50 value. Coupon \$1.12

**COUPON**  
\$1.50 Silk Hose 88c  
Women's \$1.50 "Cadet" silk hose of finest quality. Coupon 88c

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Fine embroidered muslin petticoats, pretty patterns. Coupon 66c

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was elected delegate and Mrs. Campbell Taylor alternate to the Presbytery meeting to be held in Georgetown April 17 and 18. Refreshments were served at the end of the meeting. Mrs. George Webb will be hostess at the next meeting, Monday afternoon, May 7th.

The Relief Fund Society of the German Evangelical church will meet at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the church.

Miss Gertrude Zuehl, fourth daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Zuehl, of Second street, and Mr. Roy Bower, electric welder of the N. & W., slipped off to Ironton yesterday and were quietly married, returning to Portsmouth to live for awhile.

Little Martha Jane Spencer, who is ill with scarlet fever at the home of her aunt, Mrs. F. C. Goodwin, is getting along nicely. Her little sister, Anna Grace, who has been so seriously ill with pneumonia, is improving a little each day. Dr. Goodwin left his home Sunday and is staying at the Washington Hotel during the illness of Martha Jane Spencer at his home.

Mrs. Frank Apple's class of Trinity Methodist Sunday school will have charge of the vesper services at the Y. W. C. A. April 15th.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Central Presbyterian church will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Alva Chabot, on Third street.

Mrs. Arthur Oakes and son, Robert, have returned from a visit with relatives in Columbus.

The Y. P. B. will not meet tonight on account of so many of the members attending the different revivals now going on. The next meeting will

be held April 17 and the place will be announced later.

The Y. W. C. A. Bible class meeting, planned for this evening, has been deferred until Thursday evening at 7 o'clock.

The Trinity Methodist Woman's Home Missionary Society will hold a bake sale Saturday at the Gas office, Easter eggs will also be on sale.

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"My little daughter began breaking out on her head in small pimples or blisters which discharged a watery fluid. In a day or two these dried and formed a rough, scaly surface. This continued to break out about every two weeks, spreading out larger until her scalp, face, and limbs were covered with large blisters, red and flery. The itching was so intense we had to keep her hands tied and she could not sleep or let any one else. It was a life of torture."

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## BRINGING UP FATHER



By GEORGE McMANUS

## River News

Portsmouth, April 3.—  
Observations Taken at 8 a. m.  
75th Meridian Time.

Place	Wind	Temp.	Bar.	Rel.	Clouds	Change
Franklin	15	6.6 R	-0.7	.06		
Greensboro	18	8.0 R	-0.1	.10		
Pittsburgh	22	5.8 F	-0.1	.06		
Wheeling	36	9.4 F	-3.0	.16		
Zanesville	25	10.9 R	-0.8	.08		
Parkersburg	36	11.5 F	-0.9	.10		
Charleston	30	5.7 F	-0.1	.01		
Pt. Pleasant	40	14.3 F	-1.2	.02		
Huntington	50	17.0 F	-1.3	.06		
Catlettsburg	50	20.9 F	-1.2	.08		
Portsmouth	50	23.2 R	-0.1	.01		
Cincinnati	60	32.2 F	-1.5	.01		

+ Rise since last report.  
- Fall since last report.

Increasing cloudiness over upper Ohio valley tonight, followed by rain on Wednesday.  
River at Portsmouth will fall slowly.

F. B. WINTER,  
River Observer.

**COBB TRAINS WITH REDS**  
Cincinnati, April 3.—Ty Cobb, Detroit star, who Saturday whipped Charley Herzog, former Red manager, at Dallas, was expected here today or tomorrow, he having wired Manager Mathewson, of the Reds, for permission to train with the Reds for a week while the Tigers are barnstorming.

**WHERE IS THE MOTHER**  
with a child who is rundown, has pale cheeks or thin blood, who will hesitate to give that child the very thing it needs to start it growing and keep it going? For over forty years the concentrated liquid food in Scott's Emulsion has been changing thinness to plumpness—changing poor blood to rich blood. There is nothing better for growing children—whether they are weak or well—than Scott's Emulsion, but see that you get the genuine Scott's.

## ELKS PLEDGE THEIR SUPPORT

Enthusiastic with patriotism members of Portsmouth Lodge of B. P. O. Elks met in their hall, Sixth and Chillicothe streets at 8 o'clock Monday evening and unanimously passed the following resolution: "By an unanimous resolution Portsmouth Lodge No. 154 B. P. O. Elks of the U. S. A. pledges its support to the president of the U. S. A. in the present crisis and its unreserved loyalty to the country and its flag." There was an unusually large attendance and several short talks

of a patriotic flavor were made and the meeting soon showed that local Elks stood firmly back of President Woodrow Wilson in the present crisis. Before an adjournment was taken the secretary of the lodge was instructed to wire a copy of the resolution to President Woodrow Wilson and one to Grand Exalted Ruler Edward Righter of New Orleans. The resolution was drafted by a committee composed of Judge J. C. Milner, Vallee Harold and Thos. K. Brushart.

man came forward, and, kneeling alone, accepted Christ as his Savior and partook of the Communion. Monday night Dr. Grimes preached

on "Gethsemane." Preceding the sermon, Prof. Weaver sang a beautiful solo, "Alone." The subject for tonight is "The Condemnation of Jesus."

**On Grand Jury**  
William J. Gims went to Cincinnati Monday to serve on the federal grand jury, for which he was subpoenaed.

## FOR RHEUMATIC PAINS AND COLDS IN CHEST

Gingerole Best for Pleurisy, Tonsillitis and Bronchitis.

Cures coughs, chest colds and sore throat over night without stomach dragging. Stops headache, toothache and earache in 10 minutes. Speedily ends lumbago, neuralgia and neuritis, and promptly stops rheumatic pains and reduces swollen joints. Never be without this great household remedy, for there is nothing so good for sprains, strains, sore muscles, swelling bruises, stiff neck and backache. Thousands successfully used it to draw the agony from sore, painful, burning feet. Be sure it's GINGEROLE—it will not blister the tenderest skin. 25 cents. Any first-class druggist can supply you.

## Against Any War

"Central Labor Council at its meeting tonight passed a resolution against a declaration of war of any nature and sincerely hope you will vote against any and use your influence against any such declaration." This message was forwarded to Congressman Chas. C. Keams of this district by the Central Labor Council following its semi-monthly meeting Monday night. A resolution to this effect was passed unanimously according to statement made Tuesday by President Louis Herder. It was the first open meeting of the council and was well attended.

## FOURTH STREET M. E. CHURCH

The service of last night at the Fourth Street M. E. church was interesting and helpful. The attendance was quite good, considering the fact that it was Monday evening. The prayers offered evidenced a sincere longing on the part of those present for a deepening of the spiritual life and for the salvation of souls. The pastor, Rev. Albert L. Marting, spoke of "Sonship With God," with John 1-13 as the basis of his remarks. These services will continue throughout the week, beginning at 7:15. The subject announced for tonight is "Born of God." The public is cordially invited to attend any and all services.

"We can't all dwell on Easy street."  
"No, but we can all live on the square."—Kansas City Journal.

## Bouquet For Mr. Hard

Relative to the recent meeting of the advisory committee of the Republican party held in Columbus, at which Charles E. Hard was made secretary of the organization, the Ohio State Journal in its Sunday issue paid Mr. Hard the following compliment: "Charles E. Hard, who is to be the secretary of the reorganization committee, looks young and

is young, although not quite so young as he looks, for he represented Scioto county from 1894 to 1898 in the legislature and was a prominent factor in the affairs of the party under the McKinley administration. He knows the political game, is a well-liked man among Republicans of all shades of thought, and will bring ability as well as esteem to the new committee."

## Government To Take Over Control Of Wireless Stations

Washington, D. C., April 3.—The government will take over complete control of all wireless and radio stations in the United States and territories immediately without further legislation, said Representative Alexander, chairman of the merchant marine and fisheries committee today. It is improbable he said, that legislation will be enacted in the immediate future giving the navy department control of the wireless systems of the country—a step decidedly necessary in the opinion of Secretary Daniels.

"The radio companies are co-operating perfectly with the government," Alexander said, "but it is practically certain that the government will place its own employees in charge of these stations immediately. This may be

done, for the time being, by bringing certain employees of the companies into the government service. There is considerable opposition to actually turning over the wireless stations. Both marine and international, to the navy department."

Alexander will not introduce at this session of congress his bill ownership of wireless plants and stations, which died with the Sixty-Fourth congress, until he has determined "many new features."

This bill would make it a penal offense to operate a radio station without a government license. Aliens could not obtain such a license. Thousands of small, privately owned stations would go out of existence.

If this session of congress shows a tendency to adopt any emergency legislation, Alexander will probably wait, he said, until "a more opportune time," to introduce a duplicate of this bill.

**To Run Excursions**  
R. E. Scott, local N. & W. passenger agent stated Tuesday that the first excursion of the season on the N. & W. would be run Sunday April 15. It will be run to Cincinnati from Kenova, Iron-ton and Portsmouth.

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**Was In Iron-ton**  
W. H. Spring, manager of the A. Steinkamp Company's store, made a business trip to Iron-ton Monday.

**Enjoy yourself. Skating at the Peerless Rink every night this week.** 3-5t

**Full Fledged Owl**  
The application of Gas Hoemer was received and favorably balanced upon at the weekly meeting of the Owls Monday evening.

**WANTED**  
Carpenters with millwright experience; only first class men desired. Apply at once Selby Shoe company. 2-17



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Fresh Butter, Eggs and Chickens.  
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Good Bacon ..... 20 to 25c  
Nice Lean Pickled Pork ..... 25c  
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## This Small Increase is Your Big Insurance Policy

If the Maxwell Company didn't make the increase, slight as it is, it would have to skip here and there in materials, construction and refinements, and that the Maxwell Company will never do.  
No manufacturer can make a car today for the same cost as he could a year ago.  
The fact that the price of the Maxwell will be raised is your assurance that the Maxwell campaign is still putting the same quality into the car—your guarantee of still getting the "World's Greatest Motor Car Value."

## In Fact, Better Value Than Ever Before

As a matter of fact, the Maxwell is now an even better "buy" than ever before.

Not because the model or design is changed in whole or in part, but because the Maxwell you buy today is the super-refinement of the original highly successful model of four years ago.  
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With the power to its motor to make up hill and down dale like a level run;  
—with the ease of control that makes driving sheer, troubleless pleasure;  
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## Local Fight Fans Saw 2 Real Battles Last Night

Portsmouth fight fans, that is a handful of them, who took in the boxing show in Dixiel hall, Seventh and Chittenden streets, Monday evening, saw two rattling good scraps. The only preliminary on the bill was a corker and many enjoyed it more than the main bout of eight rounds.

Asa Henderson, a local boy and Kid Hatch formerly of Columbus, but who is located here, staged a beautiful six round battle with honors in favor of Henderson, who delivered the cleaner

blows and punches that carried a sting in them. Both boys mixed it up from going to go and the only knockdown went to Henderson, who with a right swing sent Hatch sprawling to the canvas in the fourth round. It was some mill with both boys fighting hard every inch of the way.

In the main go of eight rounds clever Homer Thomas of Columbus entertained Billy McCann of Cleveland with a glove

shower. McCann looked at more gloves last night than he ever dreamed were in the world. But Thomas had little steam behind his punches and McCann was not battered or bruised. The boys frequently squared off in the center of the ring and exchanged wallop for wallop, but no one was hurt not even the referee of Referee Charley Anderson.

Thomas was to have fought Allen Douglas of Columbus, but McCann at the last minute was sent here as his substitute, Douglas being badly heated in a fight he had in Columbus several days ago.

The fight here was sparsely attended, but the promoters are going to stage another one.

## BOWLING

Harold Orr, speed merchant of the Whitaker-Glessner league, was the bright star in the inspectors' lineup at the Play House alleys last night and more than did his share in helping his team take two out of three from the Main Office team. Orr shot like a pistol, getting a total of 637. He started out with 177, then came through on high gear with 245 and finished with 215. Not a bad night for the rosy cheeked lad, who tumbled the pins with so much elact. The Main Office crew had practically abandoned themselves to a three in a row licking until Mr. Mayer asserted himself. This well proportioned gentleman clinched in with 115 as his portion of the last game and the score gave the Main Office team the game by a margin of two pins. Fred Prediger, anchor man for the inspectors, had a nice evening, although he did not have the satisfaction of getting into the 300 class. He totaled 556, which is not a bad score any where or any time. That the host of them have their off evenings, was shown by the work of Ernest Eynon.

Splits and misses asserted themselves all along the way and Eynon put up scores of which he is justly indignant. How those pins will suffer when Eynon again mounts that running board. Wohl, who is big enough to whip Germany all by his lonesome, made good after a very bad start. He copped 120 for a starter and then came back with 185 and 196.

The scores:

INSPECTORS—	Orr	Webb	Moore	Wilson	Prediger
Orr	177	245	215	537	
Webb	120	185	196	501	
Moore	160	113	161	434	
Wilson	201	194	107	492	
Prediger	196	185	178	559	
Totals	851	854	854	2562	

MAIN OFFICE—	Strickland	McCall	C. R. Smith	Mayer	Eynon
Strickland	171	159	156	486	
McCall	130	147	170	447	
C. R. Smith	128	131	175	434	
Mayer	173	125	210	508	
Eynon	148	157	136	441	
Totals	800	719	856	2375	

Games Wednesday, April 4—S. and B. Dept. vs. E. and J. Dept.



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## SPORTLETS

Cleveland, April 3.—Champion Johnny Kilbane and Matt Brock, both Clevelanders, will fight in St. Paul in June, says Jimmy Dunn, who announced today he had accepted the \$5000 offer as manager of Kilbane.

Milwaukee, Wis., April 3.—Billy Gibson, manager of Benny Leonard, wired promoters of the Cream City Athletic club this morning, that Leonard had recovered from his attack of grip and would leave for Atlantic City Monday, where he will rest a few days and then complete training for his battle, with Richie Mitchell here on April 17.

Cleveland, April 3.—Les Darcy completed arrangements today for his fight with Jeff Smith in New Orleans April 23. He plans to leave here tonight as soon as he receives transportation from Manager Tortorich. Smith wired Darcy today that per-

mission has been obtained from high authorities to stage the bout and said that transportation had been forwarded by mail.

Oklahoma City, April 3.—Manager Mitchell is preparing for a final shake-up of the Cubs before he decides on the lineup which will start the season. The first of these changes will be to replace Shortstop Wolf for Shay, now in the second squad.

Denver, April 3.—Dart Nichoff, second baseman and one of the holdouts of the Philadelphia National league baseball club, left here last night for St. Petersburg, Fla., where the team is training. It is said that he accepted the terms offered by Manager Pat Moran.

Columbus, April 3.—Before leaving here today for New Orleans Manager Calahan announced the release of Catcher Fred Blackwell to the New York club of the international league. Twenty-six prospective Pirates were in the squad but this number is expected to be further reduced at New Orleans. Blackwell is a former Ohio State leaguer.

Bloomington, Ind., April 3.—All athletic sports are to be abolished in the Big Nine Western conference if war is declared, according to belief of Indiana university's authorities. President William Lowe Bryan today sent telegrams to presidents of every university in the Big Nine.

Cincinnati, April 3.—If the basing commission is so inclined the mill between K. O. Mars and Alvin Miller of Lorain, O., will be fought on the night of April 10, when Cincinnati will be well filled with sportsmen gathered for the opening of the baseball season on the following day.

The little ranks will be driven out of New York when the game is closed at the end of the year, but, according to indications, they will go no further than Chicago, as the Illinois legislature is reporting favorably on ten-round state commission rule boxings, 5 per cent of the gross of the state.

This is Joe Jackson's year to pass the great Ty Cobb, if he may ever be expected to turn the trick. Jackson, with the Chicago White Sox, is reported in excellent condition, playing a bang-up game; is satisfied with his team, his manager, his position in left field and, above all, is said to be overpowered with ambition to get along this season.

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**Placed In  
Plaster Cast**

Anderson Hart, of Peebles, who was recently injured in a clay mine near Peebles, was reported better at the Hempstead hospital Monday. His ankle was broken. It was placed in a plaster cast Monday.

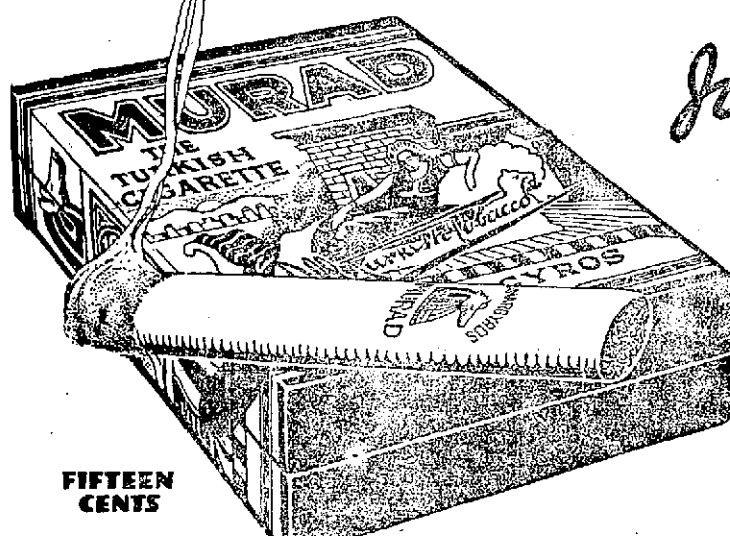
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Mr. Wilhelm held quite a lengthy conference with Adjutant General Wood, who expressed his pleasure in having a man come to his office for the sole purpose of expressing his desire to form a

## C. & O. Coal Docks Burn

The elevator and coal docks at \$15.000 with \$10,000 insurance, owned by the C. & O. at Hamilton. Engines formerly owned at Hamilton, Va., were destroyed by fire here for the present be called Monday night. The loss is placed at \$1,000.

## Camp Meets Tonight

Vienna Camp Sons of Veterans, there are many important matters to be discussed in regular session this evening (Tuesday) at 8 o'clock in Selby (G. Camp) and a full turn-out is urged. A. R. hall, Gallia and Findlay by Commander Scott.

### Furnaces Resume

The open hearth department of the Whitaker-Glessner plant resumed operations Monday after being idle several days on account of a gas shortage. All departments are running smoothly at this plant. Saturday will be pay day with this firm.

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# WILSON'S WAR MESSAGE TO CONGRESS

Washington, April 2.—President Wilson in his momentous address to congress last night said:

"Gentlemen of the Congress:

"I have called the congress into extraordinary session because there are serious, very serious choices of policy to be made and made immediately, which it was neither right nor constitutionally permissible that I should assume the responsibility of making.

"On the third of February last I officially laid before you the extraordinary announcement of the Imperial German government that on and after the first day of February it was its purpose to put aside all restraints of law or of humanity and use its submarines to sink every vessel that sought to approach either the ports of Great Britain and Ireland or the western coasts of Europe or any of the ports controlled by the enemies of Germany within the Mediterranean. That had seemed to be the object of the German submarine warfare earlier in the war, but since April of last year the Imperial German government had somewhat restrained the commanders of its undersea craft in conformity with promise then given to us that passenger boats should not be sunk and that due warning would be given to all other vessels which its submarines might seek to destroy, when no resistance was offered or escape attempted and care taken that their crews were given at least a fair chance to save their lives in their open boats. The precautions taken were meager and haphazard enough, as was proved in distressing instance after instance in the progress of the cruel and unmanly business, but a certain degree of restraint was observed. The new policy has swept every restriction aside.

"Vessels of every kind, whatever their flag, their character, their cargo, their destination, their errand, have been ruthlessly sent to the bottom without warning and without thought of help or mercy for those on board, the vessels of friendly neutrals along with those of belligerents.

## HOSPITAL AND RELIEF SHIPS SUNK

"Even hospital ships and ships carrying relief to the sorely be-reaved and stricken people of Belgium, though the latter were provided with safe conduct through the prescribed areas by the German government itself and were distinguished by unmistakable marks of identity, have been sunk with the same reckless lack of compassion or of principle.

"I was for a little while unable to believe that such things would in fact be done, by any government that had hitherto subscribed to the humane practices of the civilized law. International law had its origin in the attempt to set up some law which would be respected and observed upon the seas, where no nation had right of dominion and where lay the free highways of the world. By painful stage after stage has that law been built up, with meagre enough results indeed, after all was accomplished that could be accomplished, but always with a clear view at least of what the heart and conscience of mankind demanded. This minimum of right the German government has swept aside under the plea of retaliation and necessity and because it had no weapons which it could use at sea except those which it is impossible to employ as it is employing them without throwing to the winds all scruples of humanity or of respect for the understandings that were supposed to underlie the intercourse of the world. I am not now thinking of the loss of property involved, immense and serious as that is, but only of the wanton and wholesale destruction of the lives of non-combatants, men, women and children, engaged in pursuits which have always, even in the darkest periods of modern history, been deemed innocent and legitimate. Property can be paid for; the lives of peaceful and innocent people cannot be. The present German submarine warfare against commerce is a warfare against mankind. It is a war against all nations. American ships have been sunk, American lives taken, in ways which it has stirred us very deeply to learn of, but the ships and people of other neutrals and friendly nations have been sunk and overwhelmed in the waters in the same way. There has been no discrimination. The challenge is to all mankind. Each nation must decide for itself how it will meet it.

"The choice we make for ourselves must be made with a moderation of counsel and a temperateness of judgment befitting our character and our motives as a nation.

"WE MUST PUT EXCITED FEELING AWAY. OUR MOTIVE WILL NOT BE REVENGE OR THE VICTORIOUS ASSERTION OF THE PHYSICAL MIGHT OF THE NATION, BUT ONLY THE VINDICATION OF RIGHT, OF HUMAN RIGHT OF WHICH WE ARE ONLY A SINGLE CHAMPION.

"When I addressed the congress on the twenty-sixth of February last I thought that it would suffice to assert our neutral rights with arms, our right to use the seas against unlawful interference, our right to keep our people safe against unlawful violence.

ARMED NEUTRALITY NOW APPEARS IMPRACTICABLE  
"BUT ARMED NEUTRALITY IT NOW APPEARS IS IMPRACTICABLE. Because submarines are in effect outlaws when used as the German submarines have been used against merchant shipping, it is impossible to defend ships against their attacks as the law of nations have assumed that merchantmen would defend themselves against privateers or cruisers, visible craft giving chase upon the open sea. It is common prudence in such circumstances, grim necessity indeed, to endeavor to destroy them before they have shown their own intention.

"They must be dealt with upon sight, if dealt with at all. The German government denies the right of neutrals to use arms at all within the areas of the sea which it has prescribed, even in the defense of rights which no modern publicists have ever before questioned their right to defend. The intimation is conveyed that the armed guards which we have placed on our merchant ships will be treated as beyond the pale of law and subject to be dealt with as pirates would be. Armed neutrality is ineffectual enough at best; in such circumstances and in the face of such pretensions it is worse than ineffectual; it is likely only to produce what it was meant to prevent; it is practically certain to draw us into the war without either the rights or the effectiveness of belligerents. THERE IS ONE CHOICE WE CANNOT MAKE, WE ARE INCAPABLE OF MAKING. WE WILL NOT CHOOSE THE PATH OF SUBMISSION AND SUFFER THE MOST SACRED RIGHTS OF OUR NATION AND OUR PEOPLE TO BE IGNORED OR VIOLATED. THE WRONGS AGAINST WHICH WE NOW ARRAY OURSELVES ARE NO COMMON WRONGS: THEY CUT TO THE

## VERY ROOTS OF HUMAN LIFE.

### DECLARES GERMAN ACTS NOTHING LESS THAN WAR

"WITH A PROFOUND SENSE OF THE SOLEMN AND EVEN TRAGIC CHARACTER OF THE STEP I AM TAKING AND OF THE GRAVE RESPONSIBILITIES WHICH IT INVOLVES, BUT IN UNHESITATING OBEDIENCE TO WHAT I DEEM MY CONSTITUTIONAL DUTY, I ADVISE THAT THE CONGRESS DECLARE THE RECENT COURSE OF THE IMPERIAL GERMAN GOVERNMENT TO BE IN FACT NOTHING LESS THAN WAR AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE OF THE UNITED STATES; THAT IT FORMALLY ACCEPT THE STATUS OF BELLIGERENT WHICH HAS THUS BEEN THRUST UPON IT; AND THAT IT TAKE IMMEDIATE STEPS NOT ONLY TO PUT THE COUNTRY IN A MORE THOROUGH STATE OF DEFENSE BUT TO EXERT EVERY EFFORT AND EMPLOY ALL RESOURCES TO BRING THE GOVERNMENT OF THE GERMAN EMPIRE TO TERMS AND END THE WAR.

### WHAT STATE OF WAR WILL INVOLVE

"WHAT THIS WILL INVOLVE IS CLEAR.

"IT WILL INVOLVE THE UTMOST PRACTICABLE CO-OPERATION IN COUNSEL AND ACTION WITH THE GOVERNMENTS NOW AT WAR WITH GERMAN, AND, AS INCIDENT TO THAT THE, EXTENSION TO THOSE GOVERNMENTS OF THE MOST LIBERAL FINANCIAL CREDITS, IN ORDER THAT OUR RESOURCES MAY SO FAR AS POSSIBLE BE ADDED TO THEIRS.

"IT WILL INVOLVE THE ORGANIZATION AND MOBILIZATION OF ALL THE MATERIAL RESOURCES OF THE COUNTRY TO SUPPLY THE MATERIALS OF WAR AND SERVE THE INCIDENTAL NEEDS OF THE NATION IN THE MOST ABUNDANT AND YET THE MOST ECONOMICAL AND EFFICIENT WAY POSSIBLE.

"IT WILL INVOLVE THE IMMEDIATE FULL EQUIPMENT OF THE NAVY IN ALL RESPECTS BUT PARTICULARLY IN SUPPLYING IT WITH THE BEST MEANS OF DEALING WITH THE ENEMY'S SUBMARINES.

"IT WILL INVOLVE THE IMMEDIATE ADDITION TO THE ARMED FORCES OF THE UNITED STATES ALREADY PROVIDED FOR BY LAW IN CASE OF WAR AT LEAST FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND MEN, WHO SHOULD IN MY OPINION, BE CHOSEN UPON THE PRINCIPLE OF UNIVERSAL LIABILITY TO SERVICE AND ALSO THE AUTHORIZATION OF SUBSEQUENT ADDITIONAL INCREMENTS OF EQUAL FORCE SO SOON AS THEY MAY BE NEEDED AND CAN BE HANDLED IN TRAINING.

"IT WILL INVOLVE, ALSO, OF COURSE, THE GRANTING OF ADEQUATE CREDITS TO THE GOVERNMENT, SUSTAINED, I HOPE SO FAR AS THEY CAN EQUITABLY BE SUSTAINED, BY THE PRESENT GENERATION, BY WELL CONCEIVED TAXATION.

### SEEKS TO PROTECT PEOPLE AGAINST SERIOUS HARDSHIP

"I SAY SUSTAINED SO FAR AS MAY BE EQUITABLE BY TAXATION BECAUSE IT SEEMS TO ME THAT IT WOULD BE MOST UNWISE TO BASE THE CREDITS WHICH WILL NOW BE NECESSARY ENTIRELY ON MONEY BORROWED. IT IS OUR DUTY, I MOST RESPECTFULLY URGE, TO PROTECT OUR PEOPLE SO FAR AS WE MAY AGAINST THE VERY SERIOUS HARDSHIPS AND EVILS WHICH WOULD BE LIKELY TO ARISE OUT OF THE INFLATION WHICH WOULD BE PRODUCED BY VAST LOANS.

"In carrying out the measures by which these things are to be accomplished, we should keep constantly in mind the wisdom of interfering as little as possible in our own preparation and in the equipment of our own military forces with the duty—for it will be a very practical duty—of supplying the nations already at war with Germany with the materials which they can obtain only from us or by our assistance. They are in the field and we should help them in every way to be effective there.

"I shall take the liberty of suggesting, through the several executive departments of the government, for the consideration of your committee, measures for the accomplishment of the several objects I have mentioned.

"I hope that it will be your pleasure to deal with them as having been framed after very careful thought by the branch of the government upon which the responsibility of conducting the war and safeguarding the nation will most directly fall.

"While we do these things, these deeply momentous things let us be very clear, and make very clear to all the world what our motives and our objects are. My own thought has not been driven from its habitual and normal course by the unhappy events of the last two months and I do not believe that the thought of the nation has been altered or clouded by them.

"I have exactly the same things in mind now that I had in mind when I addressed the senate on the twenty-second of January last; the same that I had in mind when I addressed the congress on the third of February and on the twenty-sixth of February.

### HOPES FOR A LEAGUE OF SELF-GOVERNED NATIONS

"Our object now, as then, is to vindicate the principles of peace and justice in the life of the world as against selfish and autocratic power and to set up amongst the really free and self-governed peoples of the world such a concert of purpose and of action as will henceforth ensure the observance of those principles. Neutrality is no longer feasible or desirable where the peace of the world is involved and the freedom of its peoples and the menace to that peace and freedom lies in the existence of autocratic governments, backed by organized force which is controlled wholly by their will not by the will of their people. We have seen the last of neutrality in such circumstances. We are at the beginning of an age in which it will be insisted that the same standards of conduct and of responsibility for wrong done shall be observed among nations and their governments that are observed among the individual citizens of civilized states.

### HAVE NO QUARREL WITH GERMAN PEOPLE

"We have no quarrel with the German people. We have no

feeling towards them but one of sympathy and friendship. It was not upon their impulse that their government acted in entering this war. It was not with their previous knowledge or approval. It was a war determined upon as wars used to be determined upon in the old, unhappy days when people were nowhere consulted by their rulers and wars were provoked and waged in the interest of dynasties or of little groups of ambitious men who are accustomed to use their fellow men as pawns and tools. Self governed nations do not fill their neighbor states with spies or set the course of intrigue to bring about some critical posture of affairs which will give them an opportunity to strike and make conquest.

"Such designs can be successfully worked out only under cover and where no one has the right to ask questions. Cunningly contrived plans of deception or aggression, carried, it may be, from generation to generation, can be worked out and kept from the light only within the privacy of courts or behind the carefully guarded confidences of a narrow and privileged class. They are happily impossible where public opinion commands and insists upon full information concerning all the nation's affairs.

"A steadfast concert for peace can never be maintained except by partnership of democratic nations. No autocratic government could be trusted to keep faith within it or observe its covenants. It must be a league of honor, a partnership of opinion. Intrigue would eat its vitals away; the plottings of inner circles, who could plan what they would and render account to no one, would be a corruption seated at its very heart. Only free peoples can hold their purpose and their honor steady to a common end and prefer the interests of mankind to any narrow interest of their own.

### SEES HOPE FOR FUTURE IN RUSSIAN REVOLUTION

"Does not every American feel that assurance has been added to our hope for the future peace of the world by the wonderful and heartening things that have been happening within the last few weeks in Russia? Russia was known by those who knew her best to have been always in fact democratic at heart, in all the vital habits of her thought, in all the intimate relationships of her people that spoke their natural instincts, their habitual attitude towards life. The autocracy that crowned the summit of her political structure, long as it had stood and terrible as was the reality of its power, is now in fact shaken off, and the great, generous Russian people have been added in all their native majesty and might to the forces that are fighting for freedom in the world, for justice and for peace. Here is a fit partner for a league of honor.

"One of the things that has served to convince us that the Prussian autocracy was not and could never be our friend is that from the very outset of the present war it has filled our unsuspecting communities and even our offices of government with spies and set criminal intrigues everywhere afoot against our national unity of counsel, our peace within and without, our industries and our commerce. Indeed, it is now evident that its spies were here even before the war began; and it is unhappily not a matter of conjecture but a fact proved in our courts of justice that the intrigues which have more than once come perilously near disturbing the peace and dislocating the industries of the country have been carried on at the instigation, with the support and even under the personal direction of official agents of the Imperial government accredited to the government of the United States.

### GERMAN GOVERNMENT IS SCORED

"Even in checking these things and trying to extirpate them we have sought to put the most generous interpretation possible upon them because we knew that their source lay, not in any hostile feeling or purpose of the German people toward us (who were, no doubt, as ignorant of them as we ourselves were), but only in the selfish designs of a government that did what it pleased and told its people nothing. But they have played their part in serving to convince us at last that that government entertains no real friendship for us and means to act against our peace and security at its convenience. That it means to stir up enemies against us at our very doors the intercepted note to the German minister at Mexico City is eloquent evidence.

"We are accepting this challenge of hostile purpose because we know that in such a government, following such methods, we can never have a friend; and that in the presence of its organized power, always lying in wait to accomplish we know not what purpose, there can be no assured security for the democratic governments of the world. We are now about to accept gage of battle with this natural foe to liberty and shall, if necessary, spend the whole force of the nation to check and nullify its pretensions and its power. We are glad now that we see the facts with no veil of false pretense about them, to fight thus for the ultimate peace of the world and for the liberation of its peoples, the German peoples included.

### WORLD MUST BE MADE SAFE FOR DEMOCRACY

"For the rights of nations great and small and the privilege of men everywhere to choose their way of life and of obedience, the world must be made safe for democracy. Its peace must be planted upon the tested foundations of political liberty. We have no selfish ends to serve. We desire no conquest, no dominion. We seek no indemnities for ourselves, no material compensation for the sacrifices we shall freely make. We are but one of the families of mankind. We shall be satisfied when those rights have been made as secure as the faith and the freedom of nations can make them.

Just because we fight without rancor and without selfish object, seeking nothing for ourselves but what we shall wish to share with all free peoples, we shall, I feel confident, conduct our operations as belligerents without passion and ourselves observe with proud punctilio the principles of right and of fair play we profess to be fighting for.

I have said nothing of the governments allied with the Imperial government of Germany because they have not made war upon us or challenged us to defend our right and our honor. The Austro-Hungarian government has indeed avowed its unqualified endorsement and acceptance of the reckless and lawless submarine warfare adopted now without disguise by the Imperial German government and it has therefore not been possible for this government to receive Count Tarnowski, the ambassador recently accredited to this government by the Imperial and Royal government of Austria-Hungary, but that government has not actually engaged in warfare against citizens of the United States on the seas and I take the liberty for the present at least of postponing a discussion of our relations with the authorities at Vienna. We enter this war only where we are clearly forced into it because there are no other means of defending our rights.

### ACT NOT IN ENMITY TOWARD A PEOPLE

It will be all the easier for us to conduct ourselves as belligerents in a high spirit of right and fairness because we act without animus, not in enmity toward a people or with the desire to bring any injury or disadvantage upon them, but only in armed opposition to an irresponsible government which has thrown aside all considerations of humanity and of right and is running amuck. We are, let me say again, the sincere friends of the German people and shall desire nothing so much as the early re-establishment of intimate relations of mutual advantage between us—however hard it

may be for them, for the time being, to believe that this is spoken from our hearts.

We have borne with their present government through all these bitter months because of that friendship—exercising a patience and forbearance which would otherwise have been impossible. We shall, happily, still have an opportunity to prove that friendship in our daily attitude and actions toward the millions of men and women of German birth and native sympathy who live amongst us and share our life, and we shall be proud to prove it towards all who are in fact loyal to their neighbors and to the government in the hour of test. They are, most of them, as true and loyal Americans as if they had never known any other fealty or allegiance. They will be prompt to stand with us in rebuking and restraining the few who may be of a different mind and purpose. If there should be disloyalty, it will be dealt with with stern repression, but if it lifts its head at all it will lift it only here and there and without countenance except from a lawless and malignant few. It is a distressing and oppressive duty gentlemen of the congress which I have performed in thus addressing you.

### MAY BE MONTHS OF TRIALS AHEAD

There are, it may be, many months of fiery trial and sacrifice ahead of us. It is a fearful thing to lead this great peaceful people into war, into the most terrible and disastrous of all wars, civilization itself seeming to be in the balance. But the right is more precious than peace and we shall fight for the things which we have always carried nearest our hearts—for democracy, for the right of those who submit to authority to have a voice in their own governments, for the rights and liberties of small nations, for a universal dominion of right by such a concert of free peoples as shall bring peace and safety to all nations and make the world itself at last free.

"To such a task we can dedicate our lives and our fortunes, everything that we are and everything that we have with the pride of those who know that the day has come when America is privileged to spend her blood and her might for the principles that gave her birth and happiness and the peace which she has treasured. "God helping her, she can do no other."

## Company K Boys Fire On Prowler At Bridge

Shortly after the Times Extra appeared on the streets Monday night, containing a complete account of the "mysterious" address delivered by President Woodrow Wilson before a joint session of the Sixty-Fifth congress, in which a declaration of war against Germany was asked, the sentries posted around the new Chesapeake and Ohio Northern railroad discovered a well-built man climbing a ladder which led to the new bridge. When the guard challenged the man, he turned and started running up the ladder to gain the bridge. The guards fired and the man jumped and disappeared in the darkness. A rigid search was made, but the man could not be found. Lieutenant Joseph Horchow stated Tuesday morning that several other men had been stopped during the night, but all of them were on legitimate business. "Maybe some of those who attempt to go around the bridge at night will stop after this when challenged," Lieutenant Horchow said. No instructions have been received by Capt. W. J. Keyes from Adjutant General George H. Wood, Columbus, relative to when the local detachment will be replaced with a company from the Third Regiment.

## Receipts Show Gain

Receipts for the month of March show a decided gain over the same period of last year, according to an announcement made Monday by Vallee Harold, postmaster. The postal receipts for March, 1917, amounted to \$3,119.03, and for the same period last year, \$7,658.00, leaving a net gain of \$460.94.

## Niece Goes On Rampage

Jesse Niece, of Gallia, street, New Boston, is in the New Boston jail with five charges filed against him by his wife, Mrs. Belle Niece, who conducts a boarding house. Sunday night Niece went on a rampage at the house and drove all the occupants outside and refused Officers Pete Hall and Ike Wells admission to the house. The officers forced the door and arrested Niece. Drunk and disorderly, assault, threatening to kill and carrying concealed weapons are the five charges against Niece, who will all be given a hearing this evening.

## FATHER OBJECTS TO DAUGHTER'S MARRIAGE; SHOTS HER AND THEN TAKES OWN LIFE

Huntington, April 3.—Mrs. Maud Smith, age eighteen years, who was shot and dangerously wounded yesterday morning at seven o'clock by her father, George T. Villars, of High street, Guyandotte, has a good chance to survive the wound, was the statement late yesterday of authorities of the Huntington General Hospital, whither the bride of one week had been taken. After shooting his daughter because he had objected to her runaway marriage, Villars fired a bullet into his own temple and died while being rushed to the hospital in an ambulance. According to persons familiar with the events preceding what may turn out to be double tragedy, Villars entered the daughter's home on Twenty-Sixth street, between Third and Fourth avenues and expressed intention of effecting a reconciliation. In this the daughter acquiesced, only to be horrified when her father drew a pistol. As she turned to flee he fired a bullet into her back. The bullet penetrated her lungs and did not emerge from her body. Villars' pistol, a 32-caliber weapon, snapped several times while he was endeavoring to explode a cartridge, according to reports of the tragedy. Miss Villars married James Smith, a young man employed at the Chesapeake and Ohio shops in Kentucky, a week prior to last Saturday.

## "SUMMER TIME" SCHEDULE IN EFFECT

Office employees of the Whitaker and Glessner company began working under their summer time schedule Monday. They now go to work at 7 a. m. and quit at 4:15 p. m. with three quarters of an hour for lunch, instead of going to work at 8 a. m. and quit at 5 p. m.



## Here's Real Protection!

Umbrella and overshoes protect against bad weather when you have them with you but often you are exposed to rain or sleet unprepared, a cold follows and you are stuffed up, you sneeze and cough and feel grippy. Dr. King's New Discovery will promptly break up the cold. This famous old remedy has been in thousands of family medicine chests since 1869. Your druggist has sold it for years. Get a bottle to-day, children and grown ups find it pleasant to take and effective. Try it.

# We Want Men Who "Kick"

About the way their clothes are cleaned, pressed and repaired to let us care for their apparel—Then "KICKING" stops. Our methods of doing this work are so modern and up to the minute that we are certain of pleasing all who trust us with their work.

**Bierley & Yeley**  
We Dye Any Color  
Phone 822

## Cage Hats for Easter

Shown for the first time, and exclusively in Portsmouth by

**Mrs. Anne Reis**

We are fortunate in being able to present this EASTER DISPLAY to you. If you are ready to buy your Easter Hat, you are fortunate in seeing this announcement. But you must come early! The hats are choice and few.

1005 GALLIA STREET

summer time after coming home from a show! Do you think a young woman looks vulgar in a middle or striped hose? I prefer black or white hose don't you? I think the men will make remarks about striped hose. I don't wear them. Is it wrong for a girl to drink beer or pop? I like pop but not beer. Please print this as quick as possible. I remain,

LET-ME-KNOW.

She might say "Thank you" or "the pleasure is mutual" or nothing at all. A bow and a smile is often sufficient. After an auto ride she should thank him, and say she enjoyed the ride. If it is early in the evening and she feels like inviting him in it would be all right, but she is not under any obligations to do so. The porch is the proper place to sit in summer. Don't, however, sit on the porch at an unreasonable hour. Some girls look all right in a middle, others look horrid. The same is true of striped hose. Girls ought to know themselves what is, or isn't becoming to their style of beauty. There is no harm in drinking pop, but please don't get into the habit of drinking beer or any other kind of alcoholic beverages.

South Webster, Dear Miss Wise—We are two girls, aged 17 and 19 and we are in love with a couple of neighbor boys and they will go to church with us when we ask them, but they do not pay much attention to us when out in company. The boys say they are too young to go with girls. Their ages are 18 and 19 years. What can we do to win their love?

E. B. AND J. M.

If they don't want you, keep away from them. Boys don't like girls who run after them. Be independent and let them win you, if there is any winning to be done.

YOURS TRULY,

Phone 784 for this information.

Dear Miss Wise—If the lady who asked how to get rid of roaches still has them, would suggest she try Peterman's Roach Food. It can be purchased at drug stores and is the finest thing I ever used. I got rid of them with it and they haven't bothered me since. Any one wanting more information on the subject can phone 708-L. A READER.

Dear Dolly—Will you answer a few questions for me, please. When a fellow tells a girl he was glad he met her what is the proper thing for her to say? Also what should a girl say after a fellow has taken her an auto ride? Should she thank him and invite him in the house? I am 18 years old but have never had a steady fellow. Do you think it is wrong for girl and a fellow to sit on the porch in the

in my own simple way to write a satisfactory answer, which you may use if desired. First of all the anonymous writer must have been a newcomer, and surely if he is, he would not want to dictate to our Honorable City Council and other satisfied citizens on how to run the city. Second, he must have been "dead" for some months as our gentlemen of city council recently had this very "near side stopping proposition" before them and after careful investigation and consideration decided not to make a change. Mr. — has not been traveling quite as extensively as his inquiry would indicate, else he would know that very few cities indulge in this near side stopping business and then it is nearly always the will of their city council, and not because of the desires of the operating company, or the men who man the cars. Do not both of these know as no one else can possibly know which is the safest and most satisfactory place to stop the street cars. Let me also tell you that the percent of accidents in Portsmouth is far less than in any other city in Ohio, even in the few near side stopping cities. Cincinnati tried the near side stop and is now changing back to the far side. Ought these facts not satisfy. I could sit here and write good reasons from now until tomorrow this time, why street cars should not stop on the near side of the street, but what is the use. The good people of Portsmouth are satisfied with the efforts of the street railway company and the motormen are putting forth to guard the welfare of the traveling public. We feel that they deserve some praise and credit for their showing, instead of being continually found fault with and insulted by the few "near side stop" advocates. Frankly, if we were to muddle in some other people's business like they do ours, they would might soon tell us "where to head in at." I write the above after ten years experience as a motorman and hope I have offended no one. Thanking you for your kind attention and The Times for the space, I am,

Yours respectfully,  
A MOTORMAN.

## SOCIETY

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Smith, who have been spending the winter in St. Petersburg, Fla., will arrive home the middle of May and again take up their residence in McDermott.

Miss Genevieve Dupre and guests, Miss Margaret Eckels, of Connecticut, Pa., and Miss Dorothy Hill, of Liberty, N. Y., will return Wednesday to their studies at Oberlin College.

### Paste This Recipe in Your Scrap Book

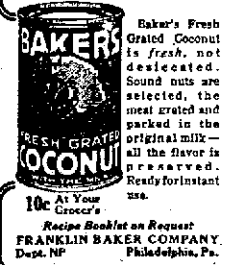
**COCONUT LOAF CAKE**  
1 cupful of Baker's Fresh Grated Coconut; 1/2 cupful of butter; 1 cupful of granulated sugar; 2 eggs; 1/2 cupful of coconut milk; 1 cupful of flour; 1 level teaspoonful of baking powder.

Cream butter and sugar until light, and well mixed. Add eggs, coconut milk, half the sifted flour and baking powder, the coconut which has been pressed dry in fruit press or cheesecloth. Beat the whites of eggs until light, fold in and add the rest of flour. Place on bottom rack in moderate oven; bake 45 minutes. Try with frosting, if smooth, cake is done; if not, bake five to eight minutes longer. It is hard to give exact time to bake, as there is a difference in ovens.

The cake will keep a week (if kept under lock and key) in it in a tin in three or four days than when first baked.

Complete Recipe Booklet on Request

**BAKER'S**  
Fresh Grated Coconut in the Original Milk  
In Cans, Not in Paper Packages  
NOT A DEDICATED COCONUT



10c Baker's Recipe Booklet on Request  
FRANKLIN BAKER COMPANY, Philadelphia, Pa.

The K. K. K.'s enjoyed a delightful meeting last evening at the home of Miss Elizabeth Huddleston on Logan street. The evening was spent in music rendered by Miss Quinn, Miss Dupre and guests, who study music at Oberlin College. Delicious refreshments were served at the end of the evening's pleasures. Those present were: Misses Margaret Quinn, Louise Gibbs, Alta Marsh, Edna Korth, Anna Tracy, Genevieve Dupre and two guests, Dorothy Hill, of Liberty, N. Y., and Margaret Eckels, of Connecticut, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Selby entertained at dinner last evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Selby's guests. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Whitehead, Miss Jean Whitehead and Mrs. J. S. Thornton, all of Indianapolis, Ind., Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Selby, Mr. Rea Selby, Misses Gladys and Mary Louise Selby, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Selby and Mr. Roger Selby.

Judge and Mrs. Noah J. Dorer entertained with a turkey dinner Sunday in celebration of the birthday anniversaries of Mrs. Dorer and Mr. G. D. Selby. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Selby and Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Allard, of Stockdale.

Miss Pauline Hutchinson, of Altoona, Pa., who spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Selby, left yesterday for Delaware to resume her studies at the O. W. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Philo S. Clark will arrive home the last of this week after a ten weeks' visit in Pinehurst, N. C.

Meet Me At Nye's Fountain. 12th

Live Growing Plants On Sale Today 10c

## Millinery For Easter

Trimmed Hats ..... 98c to \$2.98

Untrimmed Hats ..... 69c to \$1.49

Girls' Hats ..... 25c, 49c and 98c

Carnations For Easter .... 50c dozen

We will have fresh cut carnations for sale Easter Saturday. Flowers to arrive that morning. Leave your order or telephone to us today. See our prices.

Assorted 50c dozen. All white 55c dozen. Each 5c

517 Chillicothe Street Opposite The Post Office

## PEPPER'S ONE TO 25 CENT STORE

Twenty members of the Portsmouth Reading Club met last evening at the home of Dr. and Mrs. A. R. Moore, in Sunnyside, where an interesting "war" program was presented as follows:

"Is the War Making All America Prosperous?"—Roger Selby.  
"Can America Hold Her Lead Commercially?"—Mrs. C. M. Searl.  
"After the War, What?"—Mrs. Arthur H. Bannan.

Dainty refreshments followed the program. Miss Clara Waller will be hostess at the next meeting, next Monday evening.

Mrs. I. W. Hubbard, of Atlanta, Georgia, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Littlejohn and family, of First street. Mr. Hubbard is in the inspection department of the Western Union Telegraph company, with headquarters in Atlanta, his territory being the Southern states.—Wollaston Sentinel.

Mrs. William Tuenger, of Eleventh street, who has been ill for the past three months, has gone to Cincinnati to consult a specialist. She was accompanied by her daughter, Dorothy, and while there they will be the guests of her mother, Mrs. Mark Roach.

**EASTER CORSETS**  
For Easter suits, L. B. Shoenberger, 521 Market. Phone 657. 3-11

Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson and their daughter, Gladys, and Mrs. Elizabeth Patterson motored to Ironton, Sunday, and spent the day with Mrs. Thompson's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mason.

J. Frank Holland, of Trinity, Ky., spent a few days with his brother-in-law and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Hoids, of 1414 Hutchins avenue.

### HERE'S A PILL FOR EVERY ILL

Fully one half the "ills" that flesh is heir to originate from Constipation.

Flood's Little Devils have no equal as a laxative, do not gripe and will cure constipation. Telephone No. 93 for a trial box 25c.

**FLOOD & BLAKE'S Drug Store**  
In The East End  
10c bottle Carnation Cream FREE with each bottle Little Devils Today

**The Baldwin Pianos**  
Grand Prix, Paris, 1900  
The Grand Prix, St. Louis, 1904  
**FLOYD E. STEARNES,**  
Manager  
822 Chillicothe Street

## Relieve Your Liver

When your liver is out of order, your head, stomach, bile and bowels suffer with it. That is why a bilious attack is often serious. Ward it off with a few doses of

## BEECHAM'S PILLS

which gently arouse a sluggish liver, and renew the activities so necessary to good health. They never produce any disagreeable after-effects. Their prompt use is beneficial to the system, and will

## Prevent Bilious Attacks

Directions of Special Value to Women are with Every Box Sold by druggists throughout the world. In boxes, 10c, 25c.

## TIMES SERVICE PATTERN

1339



1339. A dainty and becoming Negligee.

Ladies' kimono perforated for sack length in straight or pointed outline.

This style of garment is easy to develop, and very comfortable. It is nice for cotton or silk crepe, for cashmere, albatross, lawn, dimity, crepe or batiste. The design shows a waist in Empire effect, finished with a heading in its lower edge. The sleeve is cut in one with the body of the waist. The neck is finished low in becoming "V" effect. The pattern is cut in 3 sizes: Small, Medium and Large, and will require 4 1/2 yards of 44-inch material for the full length style, and 2 3/4 yards for Sack Length, for a Medium size.

A pattern of this illustration mailed to any address on receipt of 10c in silver or stamps.

### COUPON

This pattern will be sent on receipt of 10 cents. Make number, name, address, etc. plain. Send to Pattern Department, Portsmouth Daily Times, Portsmouth, Ohio.

No. 1339. Size ..... Age (for child) .....  
Street and Number .....  
Name .....  
City ..... State .....

## Easter Apparel For "Her Majesty"

In all the graceful sweeps of a more than usual swagger spirit, these garments for Spring are designed to entrance the eye and secure the favor of the Younger Set, and this includes all women.

We just "feel" it, like the feel of Spring that this great showing is pleasing and will continue to please the multitude of shoppers that will cross our threshold ere the glad Easter morn arrives.

On account of the predicted Easter rush, our display is as large as it is attractive. On this same account it will pay you, young lady to select your garments before the onslaught has ravaged our assortments.

### The Prettiest Dresses

We know every woman will want the prettiest kind of a dress and it seems that our showings should exactly suit for the common comment is that each model is prettier than the other. The fabrics and shades and trimmings and workmanship are all that one could expect and prices in every instance as reasonable as you could hope for.

FOR YOUR EASTER SUIT, DRESS, BLOUSE, CORSET OR COAT LET US SHOW YOU GARMENTS THAT ARE FIT CANDIDATES FOR YOUR CHOOSING



## Modish Models in Easter Millinery

The crowning glory of every woman at Easter-time is of course—her hat. Realizing this we have prepared to the fullest extent against the charge which is being made this week. With a competent force of milliners and an unusually large showing of materials and trimmed shapes we are in a position to offer exceptional service up to Easter eve.

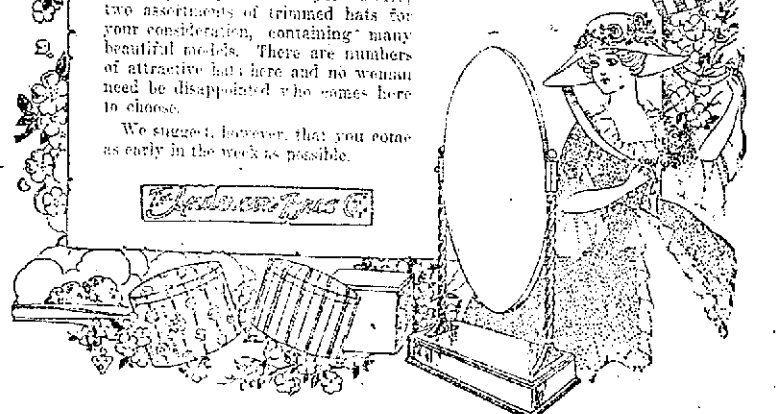
For weeks our millinery buyers have had this event constantly in mind, consequently there awaits you this wonderful showing. Every hat has had to pass a critical test for style and in the aggregate no woman need search hopelessly for the ideal for her.

### Special Easter Offerings at \$2.98 and \$4.98

As a special pre-Easter treat we offer two assortments of trimmed hats for your consideration, containing many beautiful models. There are numbers of attractive hats here and no woman need be disappointed who comes here to choose.

We suggest, however, that you come as early in the week as possible.

**Bladen & Sons Co.**





**5c Arcana Tonight 5c**

"THE CRIMSON ARROW" Big U Western drama  
"AVARICE" Universal Star drama  
"FEARLESS FREDDY IN THE WOOLY WEST" comedy

**Strand Tonight 5 Cents**

10 Cents  
10 Cents

"DESPOILING BRUTES" part 13 of "The Crimson Stain" mystery serial; "WHEN THE TIDE TURNED" 3 part Mutual drama; "ADMIRALS THREE" comedy.

**5c Exhibit Tonight 5c**

"THE MONROE DOCTRINE" part 9 "Pearl of the Army" serial. "PATHE WEEKLY" reel of world events  
1 reel of cartoon comic and scenic pictures

**6 Cents Temple Tonight Seven**

10 Cents  
Reels  
Tonight is TRIANGLE NIGHT—Good Music  
"THE DAWNMAKER" Wm. S. Hart drama in 5 acts  
"SHE LOVED A SAILOR" 2 part Keystone comedy

**WAR NEWS RECEIVED QUIETLY**

More than two hundred men gathered in front of The Times building Monday evening to wait until the extra was issued, which contained the stirring indictment returned against Germany by President Woodrow Wilson before a joint session of the Sixty-fifth Congress. They waited patiently for more than an hour, while the telegraph instrument was clicking out one of the most momentous addresses ever delivered in the halls of Congress.

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**MORE RHEUMATISM THAN EVER BEFORE**

Clergymen, Lawyers, Brokers, Mechanics and Merchants Stricken.

Our old friend Rheumatism is having his loudest year, and a few words of caution from one who knows all about it may not be amiss. Wear rubbers in damp weather; keep your feet dry; drink plenty of lemonade and avoid strong alcoholic drinks. If rheumatism gets you, or sciatica, and you have sharp twinges, gnawing pain or swollen joints or muscles, you can get rid of all agony in just a few days by taking one-half teaspoonful of Rheuma once a day. All druggists know about Rheuma. It's harmless, yet powerful; cheap, yet sure, and a 50-cent bottle will last a long time. Ask Wurster Bros. or any druggist.

**Enroll Now In The Peerless Garden Club****PEERLESS GARDEN CLUB****CHARTER MEMBERS**

Prof. Frank Appel, superintendent of public schools.

George E. Carlyle, president and general manager of the Carlyle Paving Brick company.

W. H. Williams, 1602 Bannon Place.

H. W. Heer, cashier the Security bank.

Miss Ida Davis, 817 Eighth street, teacher at Garfield school.

Fred Kemmerer, 724 Third street.

Gus Gengenbacher, 407 Second street.

John J. Van Gorder, 1619 Franklin avenue.

C. W. McQuelland, 1829 Jackson.

Cornelius McCauley, 1729 Offene.

Harold Martin, 1223 Twelfth.

Harry M. Sickles, 1202 Second.

Albert Marting, 1139 Eighth.

Gertrude Hood, 718 Eighth.

D. A. Grimes, 1206 Second.

W. H. Shonkwiler, 1705 Eighth.

B. Butt-In, Times office.

Dolly Wise, Times office.

For how many years have you made a garden? If for twenty tell us so. If for one tell us also. And let us put your name in the list of members of the 1917 Peerless Garden club. Are you planting a small vegetable garden in your back yard or a whole lot in potatoes or another single crop? Everybody, whether you are 7 or 75, phone in your name and address, if you are making a garden this year and let us print your name as a member of the Peerless Garden club.

Neighbors, if your neighbors are bashful about sending in their own names, just tell us, who of them have started their gardens, so we will not miss any members of the Peerless Garden club of 1917.

Don't hesitate to send in your name even if you have only two two-foot rows of lettuce and onions, or half a dozen tomato plants.

If you are growing or planning to grow anything unusual or anything not usually placed on the family table, tell us how good it is so that the rest of us may plant it, too.

Bureau Wants Vacant Land

"Our unused resources in the shape of back yards suitable for vegetable gardens must be utilized. I am glad that Ohio is doing her bit along this line. A home garden campaign should be followed up by home canning of the extra vegetables for winter use. Public policy whether there is war or peace demands this."

The foregoing telegram was received from Carl E. Vrooman, assistant secretary of agriculture, by H. D. Wehrly, director of the Bureau of Community Service.

The 2030 bulletins from the department of agriculture at Washington telling how to get the best results in your gardening, will be

received tomorrow by the Bureau and also the seeds for 1,000 gardens, which he distributed free by the Bureau.

Have you a vacant lot you will not be able to farm or garden?

Or have you a few feet in your back yard, which you are not able to garden, which you will be willing to donate to some one who will

be willing to cultivate? The loan of this otherwise unused territory during the summer may benefit unlimitedly some one who is less able to buy his green stuffs than you. And in addition you will have your plot of ground well taken care of at no cost to yourself.

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## War Problems Are Before Congress To Provide Men, Money And Material To Wage Successful Struggle

### 28 ARE MISSING FROM ARMED AMERICAN VESSEL

#### Debate On Some Phases Of President Wilson's Requests Is Expected

(Editor's Note—President Wilson's war address, delivered to a joint session of congress last night, will be found in full on Page 2.)

(BULLETIN)

Washington, D. C., April 3.—Despite slight opposition to the state of war resolution introduced by Democratic Floor Leader Martin, in the senate, it was believed it would be favorably reported out of committee before noon. The plan was to have the senate consider it immediately.

Chairman Stone of the foreign relations committee, announced he would not pilot the measure.

"I will pass it on to Senator Hitchcock," said Stone.

Hitchcock, ranking Democratic member of the committee, handled the president's armed neutrality measure.

"If Senator Hitchcock is not in sympathy with the measure," continued Stone, "we will leave it to Senator Swanson."

#### What Wilson Recommends

Utmost practical co-operation in counsel and action with the governments already at war with Germany.

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Extension of liberal financial credits to those governments so that the resources of America may be added so far as possible to theirs.

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Organization and mobilization of all the material resources of the country.

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Full equipment of the navy, particularly for means of dealing with submarine warfare.

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An army of at least 500,000 men, based on the principle of universal liability to service and the authorization of additional increments of 500,000 each as they are needed or can be handled in training.

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Raising necessary money for the United States government, so far as possible without borrowing and on the basis of equitable taxation.

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All preparations, the president urged, should be made in such manner as not to check the flow of war supplies to the nations in the field against Germany.

Washington, April 3.—Congress started today to make war with Germany a success. Foreign committees of both the house and the senate met this forenoon to consider the "war question." Other committees tentatively considered what shall be done with the appropriations, raising men, providing means of prosecuting the war with vigor, checking German espionage and intrigue within this nation and of so censoring news of the struggle, that this nation's enemy may not be informed in advance of United States moves.

Congress may debate considerably some phases of President Wilson's recommendations made in an address to a joint session to congress last night in which he declared Germany's acts in the past constituted acts of war against the United States. But it will be a congress united on the central theme that war is here and that it must be waged to the last man and the last dollar in order that democracy shall not perish from the earth.

The matter of extending credit to the allies will probably cause extensive discussion. Congress received that suggestion last night with only lukewarm applause. "If the loan is not charity then congress will doubtless approve it."

The feature that shows the

### House War Resolution

Washington, D. C., April 3.—Declaring Germany's recent acts are "acts of war" and recognizing the existence of a state of war between the United States and Germany, the administration war resolution was presented in the house last night after the president spoke.

Chairman Flood, sponsor for it, had altered it slightly from the one he gave out yesterday. As the measure now stands it places the responsibility squarely on Germany by calling her acts, acts of war. Moreover, it recognizes a state of war rather than of "belligerency" as the first one did.

The revised resolution reads:

"Joint Resolution.

"Declaring that a state of war exists between the Imperial German government and the government and people of the United States and making provision to prosecute the same;

"Whereas, the recent acts of the Imperial German government are acts of war against the government and people of the United States;

"Resolved, by the senate and house of representatives of the United States of America in congress assembled that the state of war between the United States and the Imperial German government which has thus been thrust upon the United States is hereby formally declared; and,

"That the president be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to take immediately, steps not only to put the country in a thorough state of defense, but also to exert all of its power and employ all of its resources to carry on war against the Imperial German government and to bring the conflict to a successful termination."

#### WEATHER

Ohio—Fair and somewhat warmer tonight. Wednesday unsettled and warmer, probably rain.

Kentucky—Increasing cloudiness, probably followed by showers late tonight or Wednesday. Rising temperature tonight and in eastern portions Wednesday.

West Virginia—Fair tonight. Wednesday increasing cloudiness and warmer, probably followed by rain.

### GERMANS REALIZE ST. QUENTIN DOOMED

The Light That Failed.

Mrs. A.—When I was engaged to my husband he was very devoted to me. In fact, he was the very light of my existence. Miss D.—And now? Mrs. A.—The light goes out every night.

Seek a position through TIMES WANT ADS. Employers of labor read them carefully.

London, April 3.—Germans apparently realized today that St. Quentin was doomed to fall. But the front dispatches detailing Field Marshal Haig's tremendous thrust on the town, told of the smoke of fires seen over the village and of other preparations indicating the Germans were following the same tactics of destruction observed in their western front retreat. But it was com-

### AUSTRIA MUST KEEP HANDS OFF

Washington, D. C., April 3.—A break with Austria is by no means avoided, according to the general view here today. Instead, in postponing discussion of the situation President Wilson merely served notice that unless Austria keeps hands off in the war between the United States and Germany she too must come under the ban.

### OPENING STOCKS

New York, April 3.—President Wilson's speech to congress, sent stocks soaring on the stock exchange at the opening today with freer and more spirited trading.

United States Steel was up 2 1/2 points on first sales, selling as high as 118 3/4. Bethlehem Steel jumped to 142, up 1 1/4. Marine preferred opened at 86, up 1 1/4. Marine 32, up 3/4. Reading at 98 1/2, was up 3/4. Crucible unchanged at 70 3/4. Chino Copper 53, up 1/2. Central Leather 92 1/2, up 3/4.

Anglo-French loan bonds opened at 94, up 1 1/4.

The market quietly settled into strong prices as trading progressed. The marine issues were active and steady at figures higher than the previous closing. American Woolen strong at 54 1/2.

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Chicago, April 3.—Today being election day, there was no grain market. The board of trade was closed.

ROSEN

Savannah, Ga., April 3.—Rosen

### Address Creates No Enthusiasm In Latin-American Countries

Buenos Aires, April 3.—President Wilson's war address was received here with interest, but no particular enthusiasm. The subsidence of enthusiasm which greeted earlier utterances of the American executive was attributed to the fact that the stand he took last night had previously been discounted and also because the most influential newspapers, government officials and politicians have adopted a cold attitude toward the United States policy—an attitude apparently based on apprehension of the loss of South American interests.

The newspaper *Razon's* comment was illustrative of this view. "Doesn't the United States consider this an opportune time to consolidate the imperialistic policy everywhere north of Panama?" asked the editorial.

The editorial does not criticize the action, but declares it "must excite the world, especially South America."

Dispatches from South American capitals today indicated preparations everywhere for a reaffirmation of the Latin-American republics' neutrality.

### 'PAY AS WE GO STRUGGLE'

Washington, April 3.—The problem of financing America's part in the world war today was directly before President Wilson and his cabinet. The department heads await only action by congress on the "war resolution" introduced last night before submitting the first "war budget" calling for hundreds of millions of dollars.

It is to be a "pay as we go" war, the government has decided, a war sustained "so far as may be equitable" by the present generation, "by well conceived taxation," the president declared in his message.

It is not the president's intention to shift the burden to future generations. All will be made to share in the sacrifice necessitated by the war, but it is evident that the administration has in mind a plan of taxing heavily enormous incomes of the rich.

The latest telephone wires in Portsmouth are those leading to the TIMES WANT AD department. Phone 440.

### AZTEC, UNWARNED, SENT TO BOTTOM; GUNNERS SAVED

Paris, April 3.—Twenty-eight of the crew of the armed American liner Aztec were still unaccounted for today and hope was fast being abandoned for their safety. Because the Aztec was torpedoed at night, and when a heavy sea was running, it is not believed any additional life boats survived the bad weather. Nine of these about the vessel the first armed American merchantman to fall victim to a German submarine, were picked up by a French patrol boat.

Official reports today said the Aztec had no warning of the attack. The torpedo struck the ship squarely amidships inflicting a vital wound and immediately putting the vessel out of commission. Life boats were immediately cast off but one of these was smashed at once. Eleven are believed thus to have perished. Another boat was picked up. A third is missing. Lieutenant Fuller Gresham and 12 blue jackets, the gun crew aboard the Aztec, were all saved, according to first reports here.

### SEIZURE OF GERMAN VESSELS IS EXPECTED

New York, April 3.—Six hundred customs inspectors, supported by torpedo boat destroyers, cleared for action today to guard the twenty-seven German self-declared vessels in this port and prepared to cope with any trouble growing out of a state of war with Germany.

At the first hint of an action of hostility by any of the vessels' crews or word from Washington Collector of the Port Malone is prepared to seize the ships. Seizure of the vessels here is expected to result in similar action simultaneously in all other American ports where German vessels are tied up.

There are fourteen German passenger vessels here, including the *Gian Venterland*, eleven freighters and two sailing ships. All together they are valued at approximately \$27,944,160.

### Allied Circles Jubilant Over Wilson's Message

London, April 3.—President Wilson's speech was received here with the greatest jubilation. The address, the greatest morning newspaper. Only brief extracts of the speech itself were printed in special editions hurriedly "made over" by the morning papers.

Early today, however, even on the face of these meager bulletins emphasizing the import of the address, the greatest jubilation was apparent in all allied circles. What was particularly pleasing to officials was the promise of a "full sized war" by the United States against Germany and especially the pledge of liberal financial co-operation with the allies.

### 'DEATH KNELL OF HOHENZOLLERNISM'

London, April 3.—"The death-knell of Hohenzollernism" was the outstanding feature which the London afternoon press today drew from President Wilson's address. The *Evening News* carried a seven column headline proclaiming in bold type, "UNITED STATES DECLARES WAR ON HOHENZOLLERNISM." All evening newspapers printed the speech in full.

"It is an epoch making message," said the *Evening News*, "rebounding not only to President Wilson's personal credit and honor, but to the credit and honor of the American people. It is the death knell of Hohenzollernism and all such dark, murderous tyrannies. If the German people are not stirred to the depths by the president's appeal in the name of liberty and civilization, then indeed they are beyond all human hope."

"The speech was one worthy of the occasion," declared the *Evening Star*.

# WILSON'S WAR MESSAGE TO CONGRESS

Washington, April 2.—President Wilson in his momentous address to congress tonight said:

"Gentlemen of the Congress:

"I have called the congress into extraordinary session because there are serious, very serious choices of policy to be made and made immediately, which it was neither right nor constitutionally permissible that I should assume the responsibility of making.

"On the third of February last I officially laid before you the extraordinary announcement of the Imperial German government that on and after the first day of February it was its purpose to put aside all restraints of law or of humanity and use its submarines to sink every vessel that sought to approach either the ports of Great Britain and Ireland or the western coasts of Europe or any of the ports controlled by the enemies of Germany within the Mediterranean. That had seemed to be the object of the German submarine warfare earlier in the war, but since April of last year the Imperial German government had somewhat restrained the commanders of its undersea craft in conformity with promise then given to us that passenger boats should not be sunk and that due warning would be given to all other vessels which its submarines might seek to destroy, when no resistance was offered or escape attempted and care taken that their crews were given at least a fair chance to save their lives in their open boats. The precautions taken were meager and haphazard enough, as was proved in distressing instances after instance in the progress of the cruel and unmanly business, but a certain degree of restraint was observed. The new policy has swept every restriction aside.

"Vessels of every kind, whatever their flag, their character, their cargo, their destination, their errand, have been ruthlessly sent to the bottom without warning and without thought of help or mercy for those on board, the vessels of friendly neutrals along with those of belligerents.

## HOSPITAL AND RELIEF SHIPS SUNK

"Even hospital ships and ships carrying relief to the sorely beleaguered and stricken people of Belgium, though the latter were provided with safe conduct through the prescribed areas by the German government itself and were distinguished by unmistakable marks of identity, have been sunk with the same reckless lack of compassion or of principle.

"I was for a little while unable to believe that such things would in fact be done, by any government that had hitherto subscribed to the humane practices of the civilized law. International law had its origin in the attempt to set up some law which would be respected and observed upon the seas, where no nation had right of dominion and where lay the free highways of the world. By painful stage after stage has that law been built up, with meagre enough results indeed, after all was accomplished that could be accomplished, but always with a clear view at least of what the heart and conscience of mankind demanded. This minimum of right the German government has swept aside under the plea of retaliation and necessity and because it had no weapons which it could use at sea except those which it is impossible to employ as it is employing them without throwing to the winds all scruples of humanity or of respect for the understandings that were supposed to underlie the intercourse of the world. I am not now thinking of the loss of property involved, immense and serious as that is, but only of the wanton and wholesale destruction of the lives of non-combatants, men, women and children, engaged in pursuits which have always, even in the darkest periods of modern history, been deemed innocent and legitimate. Property can be paid for; the lives of peaceful and innocent people cannot be. The present German submarine warfare against commerce is a warfare against mankind. It is a war against all nations. American ships have been sunk, American lives taken, in ways which it has stirred us very deeply to learn of, but the ships and people of other neutrals and friendly nations have been sunk and overwhelmed in the waters in the same way. There has been no discrimination. The challenge is to all mankind. Each nation must decide for itself how it will meet it.

"The choice we make for ourselves must be made with a moderation of counsel and a temperance of judgment befitting our character and our motives as a nation.

"WE MUST PUT EXCITED FEELING AWAY. OUR MOTIVE WILL NOT BE REVENGE OR THE VICTORIOUS ASSERTION OF THE PHYSICAL RIGHT OF THE NATION, BUT ONLY THE VINDICATION OF RIGHT, OF HUMAN RIGHT OF WHICH WE ARE ONLY A SINGLE CHAMPION.

"When I addressed the congress on the twenty-sixth of February last I thought that it would suffice to assert our neutral rights with arms, our right to use the seas against unlawful interference, our right to keep our people safe against unlawful violence.

ARMED NEUTRALITY NOW APPEARS IMPRACTICABLE

"BUT ARMED NEUTRALITY IT NOW APPEARS IS IMPRACTICABLE. Because submarines are in effect outlaws when used as the German submarines have been used against merchant shipping, it is impossible to defend ships against their attacks as the law of nations has assumed that merchantmen would defend themselves against privateers or cruisers, visible craft giving chase upon the open sea. It is common prudence in such circumstances, grim necessity indeed, to endeavor to destroy them before they have shown their own intention.

"They must be dealt with upon sight, if dealt with at all. The German government denies the right of neutrals to use arms at all within the areas of the sea which it has prescribed, even in the defense of rights which no modern publicists have ever before questioned their right to defend. The intimation is conveyed that the armed guards which we have placed on our merchant ships will be treated as beyond the pale of law and subject to be dealt with as pirates would be. Armed neutrality is ineffectual enough at best, in such circumstances and in the face of such pretensions it is worse than ineffectual; it is likely only to produce what it was meant to prevent; it is practically certain to draw us into the war without either the rights or the effectiveness of belligerents. THERE IS ONE CHOICE WE CANNOT MAKE, WE ARE INCAPABLE OF MAKING. WE WILL NOT CHOOSE THE PATH OF SUBMISSION AND SUFFER THE MOST SACRED RIGHTS OF OUR NATION AND OUR PEOPLE TO BE IGNORED OR VIOLATED. THE WRONGS AGAINST WHICH WE NOW ARRAY OURSELVES ARE NO COMMON WRONGS. THEY GIVE TO THE

VERY ROOTS OF HUMAN LIFE.

DECLARES GERMAN ACTS NOTHING LESS THAN WAR

"WITH A PROFOUND SENSE OF THE SOLEMN AND EVEN TRAGIC CHARACTER OF THE STEP I AM TAKING AND OF THE GRAVE RESPONSIBILITIES WHICH IT INVOLVES, BUT IN UNHESITATING OBEDIENCE TO WHAT I DEEM MY CONSTITUTIONAL DUTY, I ADVISE THAT THE CONGRESS DECLARE THE RECENT COURSE OF THE IMPERIAL GERMAN GOVERNMENT TO BE IN FACT NOTHING LESS THAN WAR AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE OF THE UNITED STATES; THAT IT FORMALLY ACCEPT THE STATUS OF BELLIGERENT WHICH HAS THUS BEEN THRUST UPON IT; AND THAT IT TAKE IMMEDIATE STEPS NOT ONLY TO PUT THE COUNTRY IN A MORE THOROUGH STATE OF DEFENSE BUT TO EXERT EVERY EFFORT AND EMPLOY ALL RESOURCES TO BRING THE GOVERNMENT OF THE GERMAN EMPIRE TO TERMS AND END THE WAR.

WHAT STATE OF WAR WILL INVOLVE

"WHAT THIS WILL INVOLVE IS CLEAR.

"IT WILL INVOLVE THE UTMOST PRACTICABLE CO-OPERATION IN COUNSEL AND ACTION WITH THE GOVERNMENTS NOW AT WAR WITH GERMANY, AND, AS INCIDENT TO THAT THE, EXTENSION TO THOSE GOVERNMENTS OF THE MOST LIBERAL FINANCIAL CREDITS, IN ORDER THAT OUR RESOURCES MAY SO FAR AS POSSIBLE BE ADDED TO THEIRS.

"IT WILL INVOLVE THE ORGANIZATION AND MOBILIZATION OF ALL THE MATERIAL RESOURCES OF THE COUNTRY TO SUPPLY THE MATERIALS OF WAR AND SERVE THE INCIDENTAL NEEDS OF THE NATION IN THE MOST ABUNDANT AND YET THE MOST ECONOMICAL AND EFFICIENT WAY POSSIBLE.

"IT WILL INVOLVE THE IMMEDIATE FULL EQUIPMENT OF THE NAVY IN ALL RESPECTS BUT PARTICULARLY IN SUPPLYING IT WITH THE BEST MEANS OF DEALING WITH THE ENEMY'S SUBMARINES.

"IT WILL INVOLVE THE IMMEDIATE ADDITION TO THE ARMED FORCES OF THE UNITED STATES ALREADY PROVIDED FOR BY LAW IN CASE OF WAR AT LEAST FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND MEN, WHO SHOULD IN MY OPINION, BE CHOSEN UPON THE PRINCIPLE OF UNIVERSAL LIABILITY TO SERVICE AND ALSO THE AUTHORIZATION OF SUBSEQUENT ADDITIONAL INCREMENTS OF EQUAL FORCE SO SOON AS THEY MAY BE NEEDED AND CAN BE HANDLED IN TRAINING.

"IT WILL INVOLVE, ALSO, OF COURSE, THE GRANTING OF ADEQUATE CREDITS TO THE GOVERNMENT, SUSTAINED, I HOPE SO FAR AS THEY CAN EQUITABLY BE SUSTAINED, BY THE PRESENT GENERATION, BY WELL CONCEIVED TAXATION.

SEEKS TO PROTECT PEOPLE AGAINST SERIOUS HARDSHIP

"I SAY SUSTAINED SO FAR AS MAY BE EQUITABLE BY TAXATION BECAUSE IT SEEMS TO ME THAT IT WOULD BE MOST UNWISE TO BASE THE CREDITS WHICH WILL NOW BE NECESSARY ENTIRELY ON MONEY BORROWED. IT IS OUR DUTY, I MOST RESPECTFULLY URGE, TO PROTECT OUR PEOPLE SO FAR AS WE MAY AGAINST THE VERY SERIOUS HARDSHIPS AND EVILS WHICH WOULD BE LIKELY TO ARISE OUT OF THE INFLATION WHICH WOULD BE PRODUCED BY VAST LOANS.

"In carrying out the measures by which these things are to be accomplished, we should keep constantly in mind the wisdom of interfering as little as possible in our own preparation and in the equipment of our own military forces with the duty—for it will be a very practical duty—of supplying the nations already at war with Germany with the materials which they can obtain only from us or by our assistance. They are in the field and we should help them in every way to be effective there.

"I shall take the liberty of suggesting, through the several executive departments of the government, for the consideration of your committee, measures for the accomplishment of the several objects I have mentioned.

"I hope that it will be your pleasure to deal with them as having been framed after very careful thought by the branch of the government upon which the responsibility of conducting the war and safeguarding the nation will most directly fall.

"While we do these things, these deeply momentous things let us be very clear, and make very clear to all the world what our motives and our objects are. My own thought has not been driven from its habitual and normal course by the unhappy events of the last two months and I do not believe that the thought of the nation has been altered or clouded by them.

"I have exactly the same things in mind now that I had in mind when I addressed the senate on the twenty-second of January last; the same that I had in mind when I addressed the congress on the third of February and on the twenty-sixth of February.

HOPES FOR A LEAGUE OF SELF-GOVERNED NATIONS

"Our object now, as then, is to vindicate the principles of peace and justice in the life of the world as against selfish and autocratic power and to set up amongst the really free and self-governed peoples of the world such a concert of purpose and of action as will henceforth ensure the observance of these principles. Neutrality is no longer feasible or desirable where the peace of the world is involved and the freedom of its peoples and the menace to that peace and freedom lies in the existence of autocratic governments, backed by or armed force which is controlled wholly by their will not by the will of their people. We have seen the last of neutrality in such circumstances. We are at the beginning of an age in which it will be insisted that the same standards of conduct and of responsibility for wrong done shall be observed among nations and their governments that are observed among the individual citizens of civilized states.

HAVE NO QUARREL WITH GERMAN PEOPLE

"We have no quarrel with the German people. We have no

feeling towards them but one of sympathy and friendship. It was not upon their impulse that their government acted in entering this war. It was not with their previous knowledge or approval. It was a war determined upon as wars used to be determined upon in the old, unhappy days when people were nowhere consulted by their rulers and wars were provoked and waged in the interest of dynasties or of little groups of ambitious men who are accustomed to use their fellow men as pawns and tools. Self governed nations do not fill their neighbor states with spies or set the course of intrigue to bring about some critical posture of affairs which will give them an opportunity to strike and make conquest.

"Such designs can be successfully worked out only under cover and where no one has the right to ask questions. Cunningly contrived plans of deception or aggression, carried, it may be, from generation to generation, can be worked out and kept from the light only within the privacy of courts or behind the carefully guarded confidences of a narrow and privileged class. They are happily impossible where public opinion commands and insists upon full information concerning all the nation's affairs.

"A steadfast concert for peace can never be maintained except by partnership of democratic nations. No autocratic government could be trusted to keep faith within it or observe its covenants. It must be a league of honor, a partnership of opinion. Intrigue would eat its vitals away; the plottings of inner circles, who could plan what they would and render account to no one, would be a corruption seated at its very heart. Only free peoples can hold their purpose and their honor steady to a common end and prefer the interests of mankind to any narrow interest of their own.

SEES HOPE FOR FUTURE IN RUSSIAN REVOLUTION

"Does not every American feel that assurance has been added to our hope for the future peace of the world by the wonderful and heartening things that have been happening within the last few weeks in Russia? Russia was known by those who knew her best to have been always in fact democratic at heart, in all the vital habits of her thought, in all the intimate relationships of her people that spoke their natural instincts, their habitual attitude towards life. The autocracy that crowned the summit of her political structure, long as it had stood and terrible as was the reality of its power, is now in fact shaken off, and the great, generous Russian people have been added in all their native majesty and might to the forces that are fighting for freedom in the world, for justice and for peace. Here is a fit partner for a league of honor.

"One of the things that has served to convince us that the Prussian autocracy was not and could never be our friend is that from the very outset of the present war it has filled our unsuspecting communities and even our offices of government with spies and set criminal intrigues everywhere afoot against our national unity of counsel, our peace within and without, our industries and our commerce. Indeed, it is now evident that its spies were here even before the war began; and it is unhappily not a matter of conjecture but a fact proved in our courts of justice that the intrigues which have more than once come perilously near disturbing the peace and dislocating the industries of the country have been carried on at the instigation, with the support and even under the personal direction of official agents of the Imperial government accredited to the government of the United States.

GERMAN GOVERNMENT IS SCORED

"Even in checking these things and trying to extirpate them we have sought to put the most generous interpretation possible upon them because we knew that their source lay, not in any hostile feeling or purpose of the German people toward us (who were, no doubt, as ignorant of them as we ourselves were), but only in the selfish designs of a government that did what it pleased and told its people nothing. But they have played their part in serving to convince us at last that that government entertains no real friendship for us and means to set against our peace and security at its convenience. That it means to stir up enemies against us at our very doors the intercepted note to the German minister at Mexico City is eloquent evidence.

"We are accepting this challenge of hostile purpose because we know that in such a government, following such methods, we can never have a friend; and that in the presence of its organized power, always lying in wait to accomplish we know not what purpose, there can be no assured security for the democratic governments of the world. We are now about to accept gage of battle with this natural foe to liberty and shall, if necessary, spend the whole force of the nation to check and nullify its pretensions and its power. We are glad now that we see the facts with no veil of false pretense about them, to fight thus for the ultimate peace of the world and for the liberation of its peoples, the German peoples included.

WORLD MUST BE MADE SAFE FOR DEMOCRACY

"For the rights of nations great and small and the privilege of men everywhere to choose their way of life and of obedience, the world must be made safe for democracy. Its peace must be planted upon the tested foundations of political liberty. We have no selfish ends to serve. We desire no conquest, no dominion. We seek no indemnities for ourselves, no material compensation for the sacrifices we shall freely make. We are but one of the families of mankind. We shall be satisfied when those rights have been made as secure as the faith and the freedom of nations can make them.

Just because we fight without rancor and without selfish object, seeking nothing for ourselves but what we shall wish to share with all free peoples, we shall, I feel confident, conduct our operations as belligerents without passion and ourselves observe with proud punctilio the principles of right and of fair play we profess to be fighting for.

I have said nothing of the governments allied with the Imperial government of Germany because they have not made war upon us or challenged us to defend our right and our honor. The Austro-Hungarian government has indeed avowed its unqualified endorsement and acceptance of the reckless and lawless submarine warfare adopted now without disguise by the Imperial German government and it has therefore not been possible for this government to receive Count Tarnowski, the ambassador recently accredited to this government by the Imperial and Royal government of Austria-Hungary, but that government has not actually engaged in warfare against citizens of the United States on the seas and I take the liberty now to present at least of postponing a discussion of our relations with the authorities at Vienna. We enter this war only where we are clearly forced into it because there are no other means of defending our rights.

ACT NOT IN ENMITY TOWARD A PEOPLE

It will be our order for us to conduct ourselves as belligerents in the spirit of right and fairness because we act without animus, not in enmity toward a people or with the desire to bring any injury or disadvantage upon them, but only in armed opposition to an irresponsible government which has thrown aside all considerations of humanity and of right and is punning anarchy. We are, let me say again, the sincere friends of the German people and shall do the nothing so much as the early re-establishment of intimate relations of mutual advantage between us—however hard it

may be for them, for the time being, to believe that this is spoken from our hearts.

We have borne with their present government through all these bitter months because of that friendship—exercising a patience and forbearance which would otherwise have been impossible. We shall, happily, still have an opportunity to prove that friendship in our daily attitude and actions toward the millions of men and women of German birth and native sympathy who live among us and share our life, and we shall be proud to prove it towards those who are in fact loyal to their neighbors and to the government in the hour of test. They are, most of them, as true and loyal Americans as if they had never known any other fealty or allegiance. They will be prompt to stand with us in rebuking and restraining the few who may be of a different mind and purpose. If there should be disloyalty, it will be dealt with with stern repression but if it lifts its head at all it will lift it only here and there and without countenance except from a lawless and malignant few. It is a distressing and oppressive duty gentlemen of the congress which I have performed in thus addressing you.

MAY BE MONTHS OF TRIALS AHEAD

There are, it may be, many months of fiery trial and sacrifice ahead of us. It is a fearful thing to lead this great peaceful people into war, into the most terrible and disastrous of all wars, civilization itself seeming to be in the balance. But the right is more precious than peace and we shall fight for the things which we have always carried nearest our hearts—for democracy, for the right of those who submit to authority to have a voice in their own government, for the rights and liberties of small nations, for a universal dominion of right by such a concert of free peoples as shall bring peace and safety to all nations and make the world itself at last free.

"To such a task we can dedicate our lives and our fortunes, everything that we are and everything that we have with the pride of those who know that the day has come when America is privileged to spend her blood and her might for the principles that gave her birth and happiness and the peace which she has treasured. "God helping her, she can do no other."

## Local Fight Fans Saw 2 Real Battles Last Night

Portsmouth fight fans, that is a band of about 100, who took to the boxing show in Hotel Marlborough, saw two real battles last night. The only preliminary on the bill was a corker and many enjoyed it more than the main bout of eight rounds. The boys frequently squared off in the center of the ring and exchanged wallop for wallop, but no one was hurt not even the feelings of Referee Charles Anderson. Thomas was to have fought Alvin Douglas of Columbus, but McCann at the last minute was sent here as his substitute, Douglas being badly beaten in a fight he had in Columbus several days ago. The fight here was sparsely attended, but the promoters are going to stage another one.

## BOWLING

Harold Orr, speed merchant of the Whitaker-Glossner league, was the bright star in the inspectors' lineup at the Play House after last night and more than did his share in helping his team to a two out of three from the Main Office team. Orr shot like a past master, getting a total of 637. He started out with 177, then came through on high gear with 245 and finished with 215. Not a bad night for the rocky ball, who tumbled the pins with such effect. The Main Office crew had previously abandoned themselves to a three in a row before until Mr. Mayer asserted himself. This well proportioned gentleman chimed in with 219 as his portion of the last game and the score gave the Main Office team the game by a margin of two pins. Fred Proctor, another man for the inspectors, had a nice evening, although he did not have the old fashioned rolling into the 300 class. He totaled 595, which is not a bad score by any means. The last time he then had their event, was shown by the work of Ernest Eason.

## SPORTLETS

Cleveland, April 3. Champion Johnny Kilbane and Matt Brock, both Clevelanders, will fight in St. Paul in June. Kilbane, who announced today, had been accepted the star after a manager of Kilbane.

Minneapolis, Wis., April 3. Billy Gibbons, manager of Benny Leonard, who promoters of the Green City Athletic club this morning, that Leonard had recovered from his attack of grip and would leave for Atlantic City Monday, where he will rest a few days and then compete for the title with Tommy Mitchell here on April 17.

Cleveland, April 3. Los Pines, a Cleveland team, today to be held with Jeff Smith in New Orleans. April 3. He plans to leave here tonight as soon as he receives transportation from Manager Tom Don.

Southwest today today that position has been obtained from last night's race. It is a fast and sure and transportation had been secured by track.

Chicago, Ill., April 3. Manager Marshall is coming for a final shake-up of the Cubs before the season. The first of these changes will be to replace Eddie Ward for Shaw, now in the second square.

Denver, April 3. Bert Noland, second baseman of the National League, baseball club, today to be held for St. Petersburg, Fla., where the team is training. It is said that he accepted the terms offered by Manager Pat Moran.

Columbus, April 3. The Columbus League today for New Orleans Manager Kilbane announced the release of Arthur Fred Blacklock to the New York club of the International League. Team is a prospect. Blacklock was in the squad but this number is expected to be further reduced at New Orleans.

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Bloomington, Ind., April 3.—All athletic sports are to be abolished in the Big Nine West conference if war is declared, according to belief of Indiana university's authorities. President William Lowe Bryan today sent telegrams to presidents of every university in the Big Nine.

Cincinnati, April 3.—The Boxer and the Bull are to be the main events of the K. O. Mays and Mike Ford of Logan, Mo., will be fought on the night of April 14, when Cincinnati will be well filled with sportsmen gathered for the opening of the baseball season on the following day.

The first game will be driven out of New York when the game is closed at the end of the year, but, according to the clubs, they will go no further than Chicago, as the Illinois legislature is reporting favorably on ten-hour day, commission rule boxing, 5 per cent of the gross of the state.

This is the Jackson's year in post-war sports. If he may ever be expected to turn the trick, Jackson, who the Chicago White Sox, is reported to be in excellent condition, playing a baseball season, is satisfied with his team. However, his position in left field and as a pitcher is said to be overplayed with ambition to get along this season.

A Giting Retort. Lady Wootley Mott, one of England's most brilliant women, incurred Pope's undying hatred in the following manner. The poet, who was deformed and very dark and addicted to quacking overblown, once asked her to define an interrogation mark. She defined it as "a little rook backed thing that asks questions."

Rough on George. "Did you tell George Hector that he ought ask me to marry him?" "Certainly," replied Gwendolyn's sister.

"I thought you would try to later." "I had no such idea. George Hector is a nice enough young chap, but I am not a person who I should jump in and try to rescue him."—Washington Star.





# Portsmouth Men Express Their Views On War Message

## Stand By President Prevailing Sentiment

That American spirit which knows no sacrifice too great, nor duty too stern in times of danger, spread over the city Monday night and Tuesday. It was the kind of patriotism upon which the foundations of this great American republic was firmly laid by the pioneers.

This smoldering spirit needed but the command of the president to awaken it to instant action. Wilson's memorable address before a joint session of the Sixty-Fifth congress Monday evening was the stimulant that quickened the pulse of the community from the smallest boy of the streets to the eldest and most dignified citizens.

It was a great, strong, virile American speech, was the unanimous verdict about the street. It was the kind of a speech that presages the great latent strength of the nation and the splendid principles of humanity and liberty, which are so dearly loved and revered by all Americans.

Expressions taken about the city, show that the community unqualifiedly endorsed the stand taken by the president are ready and alert to back up this stand.

"It is the best state paper in forty years," earnestly declared Judge John C. Milner Tuesday morning in discussing the president's indictment. "It is finely expressed and right to the point."

"I am absolutely in favor of backing the president," George E. Krickler asserted when asked what he thought of the message. "It is the one thing, the only thing and the right thing for

President Wilson to do," Attorney Harry W. Miller said. "It is a wonderful state paper."

"There is no difference of opinion in America," said Senator W. D. Tremper, "as to the position taken in this crisis and the country stands absolutely with the president."

"I am not for war, not even with the German people," Rev. Albert Marting, Fourth Street Methodist church says. "But I am ready for a change in the German form of government. Why not demand a change of form of government and complete immunity for the German people?"

"President Wilson seems to have the situation well in hand," Mark W. Selby, vice president of the Selby Shoe company says. "I approve of the action he has taken."

"Wilson's advice is very statesman-like," Dr. C. E. Chandler, pastor of the Bigelow Methodist church says, "and it reveals with a clear and wide vision, first his friendliness toward the German people, which has been shown not only by his words but by his cautious and patient diplomacy in the past; and second, his vision reveals that the end of his thought is a world peace, which can only come with an alliance of true democratic governments. A war for democracy will result in a world peace."

"I think that President Wilson has taken the right way. We all want to support him. All the president wants is a lasting peace, through war," Samuel Horchow says.

## "Skin" Game Brings Woe To Players; Big Police Court Session

Many quaint and humorous incidents occurred at police court Monday evening, at which there were no fewer than one hundred witnesses.

Four happy colored men from the North End came in to answer charges of gambling. Jack Hanes, Harry "Cheese" Edwards and Alex Davis fraudulently declared their guilt, but "Corney" Thomas, a tall, solemn-looking negro, maintained he was innocent.

"I done ben there but three minutes when the police done come," declared Thomas.

"Stand up," Mayor Kaps said. "Hold up your right hand. Now I am going to swear you. If you tell me something that is not true, I will hold you to grand jury in the sum of \$500 for perjury. Now tell me how much you lost."

"One dollar and a quarter," promptly replied Thomas.

Edwards was fined \$100 for operating the house; Alex Davis, \$50 for running the game, and Thomas and Hanes \$25 each for playing. The game, the prisoners explained, was "skin" and not poker.

James Marsh, colored, charged with being drunk, explained he fell asleep and missed the last car to New Boston. He was fined \$5.

Finding a comfortable bed in York park, William George, charged with being drunk, declared he, too, fell asleep and did not awaken until about three o'clock Sunday morning. He started home and the police caught him. He was fined \$5.

Burns Adams admitted he stepped up to George Reddis, who was taking a girl home, and struck him. He was fined \$10, of which \$5 was suspended.

John Davis, charged with drunkenness and disorderly conduct, pleaded guilty. He said he struck R. H. Peters because Peters declared he would not hit him. He was fined \$10.

Clay Mershon, Jr., 18; Clyde Williams, 16, and Charles Hansen, 20, were brought into police court at the instigation of Clay Mershon, father of the Mershon boy, on charges of stealing the Mershon automobile.

Testimony showed that young Mershon got Hansen to get his father's car out of the garage, under the pretext that his father consented. Young Mershon and Williams took a ride.

The father declared the machine had been run on a flat tire and that the damages amounted to \$15.

The case was dismissed. Lowell Flaugher, 19, was fined \$25, fifteen of which was suspended, on a charge of drunkenness and disorderly conduct. Flaugher told Mayor Kaps that he found the whiskey in a house in the East End. His case will be referred to the Liquor License commission.

James Heaton pleaded guilty to a charge of drunkenness and disorderly conduct and was given a \$10 fine.

J. Green was fined \$10 on a charge of drunkenness and disorderly conduct.

A charge of disorderly conduct against Henry DeLottell was dismissed.

After the cases were disposed of the room was cleared of spectators and the junk dealers, second-hand men and junkers were called in and the new law under which they operate explained to them by Mayor H. H. Kaps and Fred Baker, special detective for prosecuting attorney Jos. T. Micklethwait.

## MAYOR DAVIS BUYS THEATRE

Mayor J. S. Davis, who owns the Popular moving picture theatre in New Boston, and who is having a theatre built in Seabrook, bought the Thalian theatre in New Boston Monday afternoon.

L. C. Tarley purchased the theatre from Rudolph Kohnitz, owner of the theatre and he sold it to Mayor J. S. Davis. The theatre was built about four years ago at a cost of \$10,500. The price paid by Mayor Davis was over \$7,500.

## OFFERS TO FORM COMPANY HERE

Desiring to form a company of volunteers here and have it ready should it be needed, John Wilhelm of Second street, several days ago went to Columbus and conferred with Adjutant General George H. Wood relative to his plans.

Mr. Wilhelm held quite a lengthy conference with Adjutant General Wood, who expressed his pleasure in having a man come to his office for the sole purpose of expressing his desire to form a

company of volunteers. He stated that inasmuch as no call had been issued for volunteers, this situation had not presented itself seriously to him and he told Mr. Wilhelm he would keep in touch with him and would be more than pleased to entertain his plan should the proper time present itself.

Mr. Wilhelm stated last night he would assume the captaincy of the company if it were agreeable to the members.

## C. & O. Coal Docks Burn

The elevator and coal docks owned by the C. & O. at Handley, W. Va., were destroyed by fire Monday night. The loss is placed

at \$15,000 with \$10,000 insurance. Engines formerly coaled at Handley will for the present be coaled at St. Albans, W. Va.

## Camp Meets Tonight

A Camp Camp Sons of Veterans' meeting will meet in regular session this Tuesday evening in Selby hall.

There are many important matters to come before the camp and a full turnout is urged. A R. hall, Hall and Friday by Commander Scott.

### WITH THE SICK

Henry Folsom, well known from his farming career, who entered an Ohio hospital Friday and underwent an operation Saturday, was reported holding his own Tuesday morning, according to a letter received by relatives at Franklin Furnaces. There will be hope for his recovery if he holds his own during the day. Miss Folsom and daughter, Miss Mae Folsom, are at his bedside.

### Furnaces Resume

The open hearth department of the Whittaker-Brown plant resumed operations Monday after a four day shutdown, on account of a shortage. All departments are running smoothly at this time. Saturday will be pay day with this firm.

### MASONIC NOTICE

Aurora Lodge No. 48 will meet this Tuesday evening at 6:30 to confer the Fellow Craft degree on a large class of candidates.

Thousands of people go through TIMES WANT ADS every night. They read them with profit.

## Company K Boys Fire On Prowler At C. & O. N. Bridge

Shortly after the Times Extra appeared on the streets Monday night, containing a complete account of the momentous address delivered by President Woodrow Wilson before a joint session of the Sixty-Fifth congress, in which a declaration of war against Germany was asked, the sentries posted around the new Chesapeake and Ohio Northern railroad

discovered a well-built man climbing a ladder which led to the new bridge.

When the guard challenged the man, he turned and started running up the ladder to gain the bridge. The guards fired and the man jumped and disappeared in the dark-

ness. A rigid search was made, but the man could not be found.

Lieutenant Joseph Horchow stated Tuesday morning that several other men had been stopped during the night, but all of them were on legitimate business.

"Maybe some of those who attempt

to go around the bridge at night will stop after this when challenged," Lieutenant Horchow said.

No instructions have been received by Capt. W. J. Keres from Adjutant General George H. Wood, Columbus, relative to when the local detachment will be replaced with a company from the Third Regiment.

## Father Objects To Daughter's Marriage; Shoots Her And Then Takes Own Life

Huntington, April 3.—Mrs. Maud Smith, age eighteen years, who was shot and dangerously wounded yesterday morning at seven o'clock by her father, George T. Villars, of High street, Gayandotte, has a good chance to survive the wound, was the statement late yesterday of authorities of the Huntington General Hospital, whether the bride of one week

had been taken.

After shooting his daughter because he had objected to her runaway marriage, Villars fired a bullet into his own temple and died while being rushed to the hospital in an ambulance.

According to persons familiar with the events preceding what may turn out to be double tragedy, Villars en-

tered the daughter's home on Twenty-second street, between Third and Fourth avenue and expressed intention of effecting a reconciliation. In this the daughter acquiesced, only to be horrified when her father drew a pistol.

As she turned to flee he fired a bullet into her back. The bullet penetrated her lungs and did not emerge from her body. Villars' pistol, a 32-caliber weapon, snapped several times while he was endeavoring to explode a cartridge, according to reports of the tragedy.

Miss Villars married James Smith, a young man employed at the Chesapeake & Ohio shops in Kentucky, a week prior to last Saturday.

## Enroll Now In The Peerless Garden Club

### PEERLESS GARDEN CLUB CHARTER MEMBERS

Prof. Frank Appel, superintendent of public schools.

George E. Carlyle, president and general manager of the Carlyle Paving Brick company.

W. H. Williams, 1602 Bannon Place.

H. W. Heer, cashier the Security bank.

Miss Ida Davis, 817 Eighth street, teacher at Garfield school.

Fred Kemmerer, 724 Third street.

Gus Gengenbacher, 407 Second street.

John J. Van Gorder, 1619 Franklin avenue.

For how many years have you made a garden? If for twenty tell us so. If for one tell us also. And let us put your name in the list of members of the 1917 Peerless Garden club. Are you planting a small vegetable garden in your back yard or a whole lot in potatoes or another single crop? Everywhere, whether you are 7 or 75, please in your name and address, if you are making a garden this year and let us print your name as a member of the Peerless Garden club.

Neighbors, if your neighbors are bashful about sending in their own names, just tell us, who of them have started their gardens, so we will not miss any members of the Peerless Garden club of 1917.

Don't hesitate to send in your name even if you have only two two-foot rows of lettuce and onions, or half a dozen tomato plants.

If you are growing or planning to grow anything unusual or anything not usually placed on the family table, tell us how good it is so that the rest of us may plant it, too.

Bureau Wants Vacant Land

"Our unused resources in the shape of back yards suitable for vegetable gardens must be utilized. I am glad that Ohio is doing her bit along this line. A home garden campaign should be followed up by home canning of the extra vegetables for winter use. Public policy whether there is war or peace demands this."

The foregoing telegram was received from Carl R. Vrooman, assistant secretary of agriculture, by H. D. Wehrly, director of the Bureau of Community Service. The 2000 bulletins from the department of agriculture at Washington telling how to get the best results in your gardening, will be received tomorrow by the Bureau and also the seeds for 1,000 gardens, which be distributed free by the Bureau.

Have you a vacant lot you will not be able to farm or garden?

Or have you a few feet in your back yard, which you are not able to garden, which you will be willing to donate to someone who will be willing to cultivate? The loan of this otherwise unused territory during the summer may benefit indefinitely some one who is less able to buy his green stuff than you. And in addition you will have your plot of ground well taken care of at no cost to your-

self.

Phone to the Bureau of Community Service, Home Phone No. 468, telling them how much

ground you will donate the use of, and they will gladly assign it to persons willing and worthy, who will look after it. Anyone not taking care properly of the land thus received will have his privilege rescinded and the use of the ground will be given to one who will.

## Municipal Slaughter House Advocated At Board Meeting

A municipal slaughter house for Portsmouth was advocated by Dan Labold at the regular meeting of the board of health Monday afternoon, as a possible solution to the many complaints about slaughter houses located in the corporate limits.

This recommendation was brought about by the introduction of three measures which would regulate butcher shops. These measures met opposition but all three passed.

The first measure prohibits butchers from confining more than 20 hogs in a single pen for a period of 21 hours. Dan Labold and Dr. G. W. Martin voted against this.

Under the terms of the second measure, butchers are prohibited from rendering tallow twelve hours after it is taken from slaughtered cattle. This was opposed by Captain James Little and Dan Labold.

Offal shall be kept in galvanized steel cans, which are fitted with lids. Dan Labold voted against this, but explained his objection to the three measures was temporary, adding that he believed the butchers should be called in and consulted.

The matter of reviving the city ordinance requiring all citizens to keep garbage and refuse in galvanized cans was discussed. Dr. G. W. Martin, who recently returned from a trip in the south, stated that in Cuba there were strict regulations concerning the disposal of garbage and consequently there were but few flies there.

The mortality report shows a decrease in the death rate over last month. There were 42 deaths reported, making a rate of 17.6 per thousand for the year.

During the month of March Dr. H. M. Keil, city physician, made 306 house calls, had 37 office calls, had one surgical operation and made five bacteriological examinations.

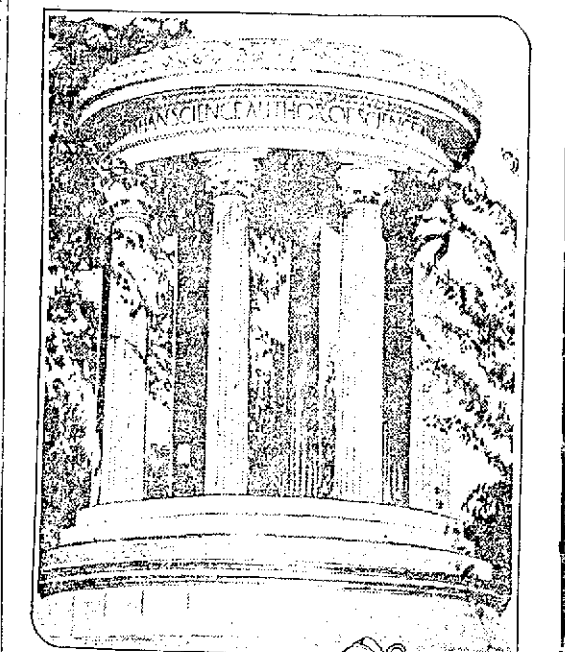
Dr. W. W. Smith, health officer, reports four cases of scarlet fever and two cases of diphtheria for the month of March. An unusual number of unsanitary conditions were reported.

The collection of Plumbing Inspector Frank Burt for March was \$71. A total number of 82 inspections were made.

The schedule, amounting to \$401.10 was allowed.

In the financial report, J. H. Goodpastor reported 13 cats and 50 dogs removed during March.

## CHRISTIAN SCIENTISTS ERECT FINE MEMORIAL TO MARY BAKER G. EDDY



Memorial to Mary Baker Glover Eddy, founder of Christian Science. The beautiful memorial to Mary Baker Glover Eddy, discoverer and founder of Christian Science, erected in Mt. Auburn cemetery, Cambridge, Mass., was turned over to the Christian Science board of directors by Edith S. Barker, who had charge of the construction.

## BOARD OF TRADE PLEDGES SUPPORT

Valley Harold, president of the Board of Trade, was authorized by the directors at a meeting Monday afternoon to draft a resolution endorsing the attitude taken by President Wilson toward Germany and to pledge the support of the organization.

A copy of this resolution is to be forwarded to Washington.

R. E. Thomas, secretary, was instructed to attend a meeting of the state secretaries, which will be held at Dayton April 21 and 22.

E. C. Smith, S. H. Lowther and C. L. Tarr were elected to membership.

## Placed In Plaster Cast

Anderson Hart, of Peabody, who was recently injured in a clay mine near Peabody, was reported better at the Hempstead hospital Monday. His ankle was broken. It was placed in a plaster cast Monday.

Clon Simon, of 2244 Vinton avenue, is at the point of death suffering with liver trouble and dropsy. He has been working at the N. & W. car shops.

## War News Received Quietly Over City

More than two hundred men gathered in front of The Times building Monday evening to wait until the extra was issued, which contained the stirring indictment returned against Germany by President Woodrow Wilson before a joint session of the Sixty-Fifth Congress. They waited patiently for more than an hour, while the telegraph instrument was clicking out one of the most momentous addresses ever delivered in the halls of Congress.

After the Extra appeared, bearing the message and stating that the president has asked for a declaration of war and the immediate call for 500,000 volunteers, the crowd soon scattered.

In the residence districts, when the boys appeared with bundles of Ex-

tras and in shrill voices called out the latest news, hundreds came out to buy copies.

The news was received quietly. There were but few outbreaks. Up on Fourth street, one man secured a life and revived the "Spirit of '76" by playing several patriotic airs.

The police Tuesday received a report of the only disturbance that was alleged to have occurred after the Extra appeared. The information indicated that a certain man entered an East End drug store and started an argument over the attitude taken by President Wilson.

During the argument, this man was alleged to have said that he hoped every American ship that left a port would be torpedoed. Several of the spectators threatened to fight on the boys appeared with bundles of Ex-

tras and the man "beat a retreat."

## BIG TOBACCO BARN DESTROYED BY FIRE

Fires started on Blue Creek last Saturday to clear spaces for spring plowing, caused considerable damage, according to reports.

John Fields started a fire on his farm and the high winds whipped the sparks over the farm of George Kraus, and before the aid of neighbors could be secured, a large tobacco barn belonging to Mr. Kraus was destroyed. The loss is protected

by insurance. By the formation of bucket brigades, the Kraus home was saved.

The fire spread to the farm of C. W. Freeman and Joseph Ozbun before the men succeeded in getting it under control. Considerable damage was done to pastures and trees.

A similar fire raged on the farm of Edward B. Saturday afternoon, and last Saturday night, with slight damage.

## Niece Goes On Rampage, Will Face Five Charges

Jesse Niece, of 1044 1/2 street, Seabrook, was taken to the New Boston jail with five charges Monday morning.

The charges are: assault with a dangerous weapon, assault, carrying a dangerous weapon, and five counts of assault.

## Receipts Show Gain

Receipts for the month of March show a decided gain over the same period of last year, according to an announcement made Monday by Vallee Harold,

postmaster. The postal receipts for March, 1917, amounted to \$112,063, as compared with \$109,000 for the same period last year, leaving a net gain of \$400.91.